

SOUTH CAROLINA MILITIA GUARD ELECTION COUNT

Charleston Unofficial Results for Mayor Are Overturned

HYDE WINNER

Extraordinary Precautions Taken to Prevent Further Bloodshed

CHARLESTON, S. C., Oct. 16.—The ballots cast at last Tuesday's Democratic primary here were canvassed by the city executive committee today in an artillery hall guarded by several companies of militia. Extraordinary precautions were taken to prevent repetition of disorders at the committee's meeting yesterday, when one man was killed and four others wounded in a pistol duel.

Major Truman T. Hyde was declared by the committee, at the end of today's meeting, to have defeated Mayor John P. Grace for re-nomination, by a majority of 123 votes. Supporters of the city candidates had waged a bitter campaign and representations by Hyde's friends resulted in several companies of militia being held in readiness to aid in suppressing expected disorders on primary day. Unofficial figures compiled after the count showed a small majority for Grace.

The militia companies called out yesterday to help the police quiet the disturbance at the committee room, which was in a downtown office building, were kept on guard in nearby streets all night. Today they searched all persons entering the armory to be present at the canvass, and took firearms from several. Among those disarmed, the militiamen reported, were Mayor Grace, Police Chief James R. Cantwell, and Sheriff J. E. Martin.

RESERVE ARMY OF 1,200,000 WANTED

Building Program for Six Years Planned by U. S. Navy

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Details of the administration program for national defense became known officially today. They include a six-year program, which in that time will bring the American army with reserves up to 1,200,000 trained men and have a building program to add sixteen capital ships—ten dreadnaughts and six battle cruisers—eighty-five submarines—fifty destroyers and fifteen scout cruisers in five years. With proportionate increases in personnel and officers.

Estimates of appropriations needed to begin the national defense program are placed at \$152,000,000 for the army and \$216,000,000 for the navy. President Wilson has approved the program as submitted by Secretary Garrison and Daniels.

In the first year's program, Secretary Daniels has recommended the building of two dreadnaughts, two battle cruisers, 25 coast submarines, five ocean-going submarines, 12 destroyers, three scout ships, and 20 torpedo boats. The regular army from 75,000 to 140,000 men under a six-year enlistment requiring two years of service and four years in reserve will give about 300,000 reserves in six years, according to naval department calculations. The continental army, which is being increased by means of a six-year enlistment of two months each year for three years with the colors and three years of reserve subject to call, will at the end of the six years give a total of 800,000 men. This trained citizen army, together with the regular army, will give the 1,200,000 National Guardsmen, a mobile army of more than 1,200,000 in six years.

COURTMARTIAL OF ADMIRAL POSTPONED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—The court-martial of Rear Admiral William H. Little, retired, was postponed today until November 1. Admiral Little is explaining to Secretary Daniels that he would be unable to prepare his defense by next Monday, the original date set.

The officer is charged with neglect of duty in having accepted, as machinery inspector, the submarine K-2 from the builders when he is alleged to have known that there was defective construction in her electrical storage batteries. In documents relating to the case made public today, Admiral Little is quoted as having said that acceptance of the boat "was based on the contractor's agreement to stand back of the battery for all time as to the alleged careless workmanship." The present navy inspector at the River Shipbuilding plant, where the submarine was constructed, reported he was unable to find any written record of the agreement in the files of his office.

TYRANNOSAURUS IS CAUGHT AFTER 3,000,000 YEARS

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—A specimen of the tyrannosaurus, 10 feet long and 15 feet high, was placed on exhibition today at the American Museum of Natural History. It was unearthed on Big Dry Creek in the Montana bad lands, by Barnum Brown, a fossil hunter who has discovered several specimens of the dinosaur. The tyrannosaurus is distinctly related to lizards but has hind legs fashioned like those of birds. It roamed through the great basins of the west 3,000,000 years ago.

SCORE DIE IN BRIDGE WRECK

Train Crashes Through Following Heavy Rain; Forty Injured

RANDOLPH, Kan., Oct. 16.—With eleven bodies recovered from the half-submerged passenger car of a Union Pacific motor train which went through a bridge here today, estimates of the total casualties were placed tonight at seventeen dead and two score injured. Sixty-five persons were in the car and only four escaped unhurt when it plunged into Pearly Creek and was buried deep in mud and water.

Most of the dead, it was believed, were drowned, although evidence showed that several of the recovered bodies had been killed outright when the train struck the bridge, which was weakened by a three inch rain last night, and crashed through it.

A revised list of the recovered dead follows: Mr. Louis A. T. Wood, Topeka; G. T. Brummett, Topeka, Kan.; Mary Gile, Manhattan, Kan.; Miss Alice J. Seiler, Garrison, Kan.; Mrs. Elsie Chapman, Manhattan, Kan.; Miss Ethel Reisel, Stockdale, Kan.; A. O. Shaw, Tecumseh, Neb.; Theodore Smith, Tecumseh, Neb.; Carl Stenberg, Stockdale, Kan.; infant of Mrs. Emma Dellinger, Frankfurt, Kan.

The train was crowded with teachers to a county convention, and many of the injured were young women. Randolph, Kan., was terribly hit, when the train, composed of a passenger and a baggage car, struck the bridge and plunged downward into the swollen creek.

Those who did not hold, or were not caught, were hurled down the tipping car into the flowing water.

The task of rescuing the clinging passengers was extremely difficult. The rear end of the car was high in the air and the front end was in the mud. It was necessary for the survivors to crawl up the sides of the car, clinging to the window ledges and seats and onto the end of the shattered abutment. Many of the injured were unconscious from loss of blood, or the shock by the fall. The perilous route was covered. Relief trains from Manhattan and Marysville gave the injured men medical attention.

What occurred in the forward end of the passenger car, used as a smoking compartment, probably never will be known, as no one who was in that section has yet been discovered among the survivors.

The smoking compartment was submerged almost immediately after the abutment gave way and those in it had little or no chance to escape. The impact of the wreck shattered the windows in the forward part of the car and the flood waters poured in over the confined passengers there, as the car fell. All of the bodies yet remaining in the car are in this section.

Female cars were many on the part of the passengers who were themselves injured. J. H. Sawtell, principal of the Manhattan high school, although badly cut and injured, refused to leave the car until every person who showed signs of life had been removed. When he recovered from the shock which precipitated him through a window, he seized an iron bar, and clambering over the tilted seats, broke out the glass of windows and helped many women to crawl through.

CONVICTED UNDER NEUTRALITY LAWS

U. S. Prosecution Successful First Time in Four Years

EL PASO, Texas, Oct. 16.—Victor L. Ochoa, Emilio L. Holmdahl, and Jose Orozco, today were convicted in federal district court of conspiracy to violate the neutrality laws of the United States. Jorge U. Orozco, former Carranza consul at El Paso who was also indicted, was found not guilty.

The men were charged with organizing in El Paso a military expedition to capture Juarez, opposite here, in the name of General Carranza.

The convictions are the first secured in the past four years on charges of neutrality violation. Approximately 100 arrests have been made and a score of indictments returned, on similar charges, in El Paso alone.

In 1913, ten persons were found guilty of charges of conspiracy to invade Mexico, and sentenced to the Leavenworth federal penitentiary.

Among those now under indictment is Enrique C. Lorente, Villa representative at Washington, and former Provisional President Huerta, now detained at Fort Bliss.

TEMBLOR STRIKES SEAWARD, ALASKA

Explosion May Indicate Eruption of Distant Volcano

SEWARD, Alaska, Oct. 16.—A severe earthquake shock was felt through Kenai peninsula at 7:30 o'clock last night. The shock continued ten seconds, but as far as known no damage was done.

In Seward the earthquake was accompanied by a mighty roar, as if there had been a tremendous explosion within the earth. Buildings trembled and people rushed into the streets, but as no more shocks were felt, their fears soon were allayed.

Immediately after the earthquake, a strong northwest wind arose, bringing the first snowstorm of the season. The wind blew all night and snow began falling this morning.

No report has been received from the vicinity of any of the volcanoes to the westward, but some believe that the noise of a terrific explosion which accompanied the earthquake heralded an eruption of one of the distant peaks.

PRESIDIO WILL KEEP EXPOSITION BUILDINGS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—The trotting track at the Panama-Pacific Exposition with all its buildings, will be retained permanently as a part of the Presidio army post at San Francisco, Secretary Garrison approved recommendations to this effect today and further directed that the poultry and dairy buildings and the marine camp mess hall also be retained.

COUNTERFEITERS CAUGHT AFTER OPERATING 3 YEARS

Had Flooded United States With Spurious Gold Coins

GREAT PROFIT

Two Men Were for Awhile Oakland Police; S. P. Conductors

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16.—The source of the flood of spurious five dollar gold pieces, variously estimated as representing between \$25,000 and \$500,000, circulated throughout the United States and the Pacific coast for three years, has been located, government agents said here today. In the arrest of two former Oakland policemen, Rolfe A. York and Edward Karr, both prisoners are due here tonight in custody of United States marshals, York from Columbus, Ohio; Karr from Ogden, Utah, to answer secret federal indictments issued several weeks ago.

The operations of York, said to be a minister's son, and Karr are asserted to be the most gigantic counterfeiting venture that ever confronted the United States secret service, whose agents trailed the prisoners across the country to Canada and back. The plant of the counterfeiters has been located in San Francisco by Harry Moffit, chief of the San Francisco bureau of the secret service, who arrested York in Columbus, aided by Patrick Ahearn, of the Pittsburgh Post, of the Seattle Bureau and M. Calligan of Salt Lake City.

The five dollar shortweight gold coin, made and passed principally in Los Angeles, San Francisco and Seattle, is considered the best counterfeit with which secret service agents have been bothered in many years. It is said that the counterfeiters netted a profit of \$250 on each coin.

Looking for Gold.

Nearly three years ago, when the coins were first forced into circulation, and Pacific coast secret service agents found themselves helpless to discover the source, operatives were sent here from the east to track down the counterfeiters. Since then, a score of agents have kept close scrutiny of districts, jewelers, assayers and other handlers of gold, to discover if possible, the counterfeiters' source of supply.

The workings of the trap that finally ensnared them was not explained today. The last seen of York and Karr was in Stockton, about three months ago, where, it is asserted, they refused a spurious coin. A sack of coins was found later in a water tank in the wash room of a cafe.

For three years business men have been haunted with the fear of the counterfeit money, difficult to detect. Seldom was a five dollar gold piece dropped softly into a cash register. Forty were found in Los Angeles in one month, and twenty in a single department store here in one day.

Secret service operatives said today there is no method of computing the total number of the coins now in circulation. They have been spread throughout the United States particularly the Pacific coast and the northern boundary states.

York and Karr were once Southern Pacific railroad conductors. Last January they joined the Oakland police force on the same day, and resigned thirty days later, simultaneously.

HEAVY FIGHTING ON SERB FRONT; AGAINST BULGARIA

SOLONIKI, Oct. 16, 1:30 p. m. via Paris, 11:30 p. m.—Heavy cannonading is reported around Doiran, southeastern Serbia. The Serbians are said to have forced the Bulgarians to retire. The Serbians are advancing from Souvovno in the direction of Stroumitsa, which they claimed they expect to take shortly.

"SPEECHLESS" BANQUET FOR DEAF INVENTOR

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16.—A "speechless" banquet, with the customary addresses, has been arranged by a coterie of San Francisco telegraphers in honor of Thomas A. Edison, who will be the guest of honor at the San Francisco Commercial Club Tuesday night.

At each speaker's place, a telegraph key will be established and miniature police will carry the wires around the table. The address of Edison will be typed out by Mr. Edison and the famous inventor will respond in dots and dashes.

The menu will be written in the Morse code of telegraphy and the 300 telegraphers who have been invited, were requested to attend in working dress.

Mr. Edison was invited to attend through the medium of a telegraphic dispatch and he wired his acceptance in the same way.

YAQUIS THREATEN TO DESTROY VILLA

Make Demand to Be Paid in Real Money

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Oct. 16.—It was reported here tonight that Yaqui Indians serving under the Villa general, Acosta, at Santa Cruz, between Nogales and Cananea, had sent an ultimatum to Carlos Randall, acting governor of Sonora, demanding pay of one silver peso daily and food in addition, or they would turn against the Villa cause.

El Tigre, a mining camp which has been closed but one week during the entire course of the Mexican revolution, has been deserted by the civil and military authorities. A citizen's committee is policing the camp. Twenty Americans remain there.

General P. Elias Calles telegraphed Carranza yesterday, asking that \$50,000 in gold be sent to Agua Prieta, to aid refugees who are congregated there in large numbers. Official records show that more than 2,000 have arrived at Agua Prieta during the past three days. Calles is building wooden barracks to accommodate them.

The Carranza force in Agua Prieta is said to total 6,000 men. Calles claims to have arms for 10,000.

TEXAS EXECUTIVE TO PARDON 100 CONVICTS

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 16.—Governor James E. Ferguson, in Dallas to open the Texas state fair, said today that he would pardon every one of the 100 friendly convicts now in state prisons, as recommended by the board of pardons yesterday.

"That is my idea of life saving," the governor said.

The governor added that he would hear the story of every one of the 3,800 convicts in Texas prisons, and that if more pardon recommendations were made, he would give them clemency also.

FIERO, SLAYER OF BENTON, IS DROWNED IN CHIHUAHUA

Rumors About Court-martial of Villa Officially Denied

MORE DESERTERS

Embargo On Arms at Nogales Is Lifted Again By U. S. Authorities

EL PASO, Texas, Oct. 16.—Official announcement of the death of General Fierro, second in command of the Villa army, who was held responsible for the killing of William Benton, a British ranchman, and Anton Bauch, an American, at Juarez, about two years ago, in a career stained with innumerable murders, was made late today at Juarez. The announcement was very brief, stating merely that Fierro was drowned while foraging for food near the Ahumada. Whether he was drowned by accident was not stated.

It was said that General Villa had been arrested and court-martialed by his generals who considered the revolution as a business and wish to safeguard their badly acquired riches.

You can be assured that those rumors about General Villa's arrest are laughably false, and you can state that all his old companions of the revolution are with General Villa and assure him of their loyalty. Those who have crossed in the United States are those who consider the revolution as a business and wish to safeguard their badly acquired riches."

VILLISTAS DELIGHTED

NOGALES, Ariz., Oct. 16.—The embargo on arms and ammunition signed by U. S. authorities was lifted here today by United States military authorities on orders from Washington. There was no explanation. Villa officials across the border were elated. Some declared that the lifting of the embargo constituted a recognition of Villa as valuable as that recommended for Carranza by the Pan-American conference. Sentence will be pronounced Monday.

DESERTERS KILLED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—An official report from the United States army at General Francisco Villa at Casas Grandes received today, narrates the desertion of three generals and 300 men, who were pursued and practically exterminated while an alleged bribe paid one general for desertion, was captured, together with a number of prisoners.

General Durango Lopez, Pallas, chief of the Chaco brigade, says the report, "General Uribe Lopez, and Colonel Angel Ochoa deserted eight days ago, taking more than 300 men, who killed small groups of loyal troops they encountered. Some of the deserting soldiers, upon learning the plans of their leaders, returned to us voluntarily."

General Villa ordered the forces of Manuel Ochoa and Fernando Castro to pursue the rest of the band. Three days ago Ochoa surprised the deserters on the Motezumana ranch in the heart of the mountains, and many were made prisoners.

The deserters, 35 in number, were killed. We had no casualties.

All the supplies taken by the deserters were captured. General Pallas escaped on foot, with about twenty men, going toward Baliza. Among the effects of General Pallas was found a large amount of currency. Formerly he accepted a bribe from the governor to the "madame high school auditorium, using as he appeared on the platform and greeting him with wailing and a cloud of waving handkerchiefs."

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BIG GATHERINGS FOR NON-PARTISANSHIP

Democrats Show Falsity of Claim Party Would Be Injured

(Special to the Republican.)

PASADENA, Oct. 16.—Demonstrations of support have been accorded Governor Johnson the like of which has never before been equaled in the political annals of southern California. In his Long Beach meeting last night 6,000 people remained in the great municipal auditorium. Today twenty-five leading Democrats had him as their guest of honor at luncheon at the Hotel Clark in Los Angeles, enthusiastically pledging their approval of state non-partisanship. Tonight a great crowd gathered to hear the governor in the "madame high school auditorium, using as he appeared on the platform and greeting him with wailing and a cloud of waving handkerchiefs."

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SEVEN OR MORE DIE IN FIRE IN NEW YORK HOTEL

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—Six persons are known to have been burned to death and several others missing in a fire which swept from cellar to roof in a hotel at Third Avenue and 116th Street early this morning. The bodies of Anna Wind, 13 years old, and her sister, May, aged 14, and of two other persons were recovered by firemen who made many rescues of guests. The mother of the Wind girls is among the missing. The ruins are being searched for bodies. A woman and a baby, clutched in her arms, were found in the burned building.

Several persons were injured, one perhaps fatally.

HILLSTROM MUST DIE DECLARES UTAH BOARD OF PARDONS

Swedish Minister Offers No New Evidence But Seeks Clemency

DOUBLE MURDER Prisoner Said His Wound Caused By Quarrel Over Woman

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Oct. 16.—The state board of pardons, after a hearing today, adopted a resolution by unanimous vote tonight, denying commutation of sentence to Joseph Hillstrom, convicted of the murder of J. G. Morrison and Morrison's son, in Salt Lake, January 10, 1911, and terminating the reprieve granted Hillstrom September 30, at the request of President Wilson.

Hillstrom was sentenced to be executed October 1, and was reprieved to give W. F. A. Ekengren, Swedish minister to the United States, an opportunity to present new facts or reasons why sentence should be commuted. Ekengren was not represented by the board today, except by a telegram he sent to Governor Spry Hillstrom refused to appear and his attorney said he had no additional evidence or reasons to present.

Hillstrom will be taken before the district court next week to be re-sentenced to death.

The Swedish ministers aid in his telegram to the governor today that he applied on behalf of himself and his government for the commutation of his countryman's sentence "if for no other reason, least, for the sake of humanity and compassion, and practiced toward the friendly nations."

Members of the board of pardons said they had diligently followed every clue suggested by the multitude of letters received here in connection with the case, and had been unable to develop anything new, not previously known in connection with it. They also said the board possessed accurate and concrete evidence regarding Hillstrom's life prior to his arrest here, but this evidence was not made public by the board.

Hillstrom has always maintained that he would be received the night of the Morrison murders was inflicted in a quarrel over a woman. It was learned today that the board of pardons proposed to Hillstrom some time ago that he give some facts regarding his alleged encounter for investigation by the board in strict confidence, and without publicity, but Hillstrom declined the proposition.

The day of Hillstrom's execution will be fixed by Judge M. L. Ritchie, who presided at the trial and who is expected to set an early date.

ALLIES BLOCKADE BULGARIAN COAST

Dedeagatch and Other Aegean Ports to Be Closed

LONDON, Oct. 16, 5:05 p. m.—A blockade of the Bulgarian coast in the Aegean Sea by entente allied warships of the Eastern Mediterranean squadron was put into effect today, according to an announcement made by the official Press Bureau.

The text of the communication follows:

"The vice-admiral commanding the Eastern Mediterranean squadron of the Allied fleets has declared a blockade of the Bulgarian coast in the Aegean Sea, commencing from 6 a. m. on the sixteenth inst.

"Forty eight hours' grace from the moment of the commencement of the blockade has been assigned for the departure of the Bulgarian coast vessels from the blocked area."

The strip of Bulgarian coast bordering the Aegean Sea, against which warships of the Anglo-French eastern Mediterranean squadron have established a blockade, runs from Sarichan, Greece, to Enos, European Turkey, a distance of about eighty miles. It consists of territory obtained from Turkey as a result of the Balkan wars. The chief seaports along the coast are Dedeagatch, Porto Lagon, Maroniti and Moeri. Running parallel with the shore line at a distance varying from five to ten miles is the Saloniki-Constantinople railroad. The coast of Turkey to the east and south of Bulgaria has been blockaded by warships of the Entente Allies since the entrance since the entrance of Turkey into the war last November.

ALL COOK COUNTY MUST STAY DRY

Chicago Sunday Law to Be Rigorously Enforced Today

CHICAGO, Oct. 16.—Indications tonight were that Chicago would be a "dry" tomorrow as it was last Sunday when Mayor Thompson's closing order went into effect. Chief Healy indicated that the police activities would be directed toward reporting violations of the closing order to him for later action. Reform leaders made preparations for vigilant surveillance by the employment of special detectives, not only in the city, but outside the city limits.

Saloonkeepers in the towns and villages of Cook county outside Chicago were given warning today that prohibition would follow today. The police were sent by Arthur E. McColl, head of the Citizens League, who announced later that his organization would have investigators in all parts of the county tomorrow, prepared to take evidence of violation of the Sunday closing law, which he would present to the state's attorney.

STEAM FITTERS QUIT COUNCIL

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16.—Ship Fitters' Union No. 410 of San Francisco has withdrawn from the International Ship Fitters' Union, the Iron Trades Council and the San Francisco Labor Council. Officials say the union members were dissatisfied with the recent two-year agreement negotiated by the Iron Trades Council with the California Metal Trades Association.

DANES TO MEET IN MILWAUKEE

ST. PAUL, Oct. 16.—T. P. Nelson of Seattle was selected supreme president of the Danish Brotherhood of America and Milwaukee was chosen as the 1916 meeting place at the closing session of the convention here today.

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ZEPPELIN VICTIMS SCARED TO DEATH

Half Number Who Died in London Not Struck

LONDON, Oct. 16, 10:30 p. m.—The medical evidence at the inquest held today on the eighteen victims in the London area of the Zeppelin raid Wednesday night disclosed that the death of half of them, the majority of whom were women, was due to the effect of shock resulting from the terrifying effect of the exploding bombs and gunfire.

One victim was an elderly woman who had sought refuge in her husband's arms. He had tried to tell her "never mind, we'll die together if it's the worst happens." He was not hurt.

Among those who died from injuries was a young man who was found sitting against a wall, his head smashed by a bomb. To those who came to his assistance he said: "I am sick sticking to it."

In a house which was struck by one bomb and damaged by two others, three boys sleeping in the same bed were killed.

A young man who ran out of a house in the neighborhood of which bombs were falling, received a mortal wound, but the other occupants who remained behind to dress, escaped unhurt.

A father, mother and daughter were found dead under the wreckage of a small villa on which a bomb fell. A dressmaker's assistant was found dead in a cellar in which she had taken refuge on the first alarm.

In nine cases of death from bodily injury, a verdict was returned that the deaths had been caused by bombs thrown from an enemy airship, the coroner having instructed the jury not to adopt what he described as the foolish practice of bringing in a verdict of wilful murder against the German Emperor.

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NON-PARTISAN DEBATE PLANNED AT CHURCH

Frank H. Short and
Chester H. Rowell to
Discuss Measure

Frank H. Short and Chester H. Rowell will debate the proposed non-partisan law at the First Unitarian church on Sunday night, October 24. Owing to the prominence of the two speakers, a large attendance is expected. In order to accommodate out of town people and people from Fresno who may wish to attend, the committee on arrangements, of which J. E. Dickinson is chairman, has decided to issue tickets in advance for 250 seats, or half the seating capacity of the church. These tickets will be free and will be issued to all who apply by mail on or before Friday, October 22. Name and address should be given. The tickets will be held at the door until 7:15 on the evening of the debate. At 7:25 all seats will be thrown open and at 7:30 the service will begin. Requests for tickets should be addressed to the Dr. Chester Rowell Memorial League, Tulare.

Mr. Short and Mr. Rowell will each have thirty minutes for an opening address and each fifteen minutes for reply. A list of vice presidents will be announced later. Brief, concise readings, dealing with national idealism are being prepared for use at the various vesper services of the League, by a committee consisting of Mrs. W. P. Miller and Rev. Christopher Ruess. Besides short readings from the Old and New Testaments, they will include readings from Lincoln, Washington, Longfellow, Lowell, Emerson and Whitman.

CLOTHING IS WANTED FOR UNEMPLOYED MEN

General Appeal Made By
Citizens' Relief
Committee

An appeal for clothing for men out of work was made yesterday by the Citizens' Relief Committee as follows: "The Citizens' Relief Committee is greatly in need of clothing for the men who are waiting around for work. Many of them have worn out the poor clothes they had, and the few jobs they have been able to get, and many of these jobs have been dirty work. Please look over your clothes presses, cupboards and garrets, make a bundle, and call up phone 795, and someone will be sent to fetch them. Often a man cannot take a job, or is turned down because his clothes are shabby. "There are many men out of work, and jobs have been few and far between, since October 1, and the Bureau urges all citizens in Fresno County or in the San Joaquin valley to ask for help at the Bureau, 1825 Mariposa St. The greatest pains are taken to fit the man and the job, efficiency being the ruling. In spite of the needs of the men. Call up phone 795. THOMAS CLAYTON, Secretary."

ROWELL AND NEYLAN IN TULARE COUNTY

Will Speak at Dinuba,
Exeter, Lindsay and
Porterville

Chester H. Rowell and John Francis Neylan will appear on Monday night, in the Mission Theater at Dinuba, in behalf of state non-partisan. On Tuesday, at 2 o'clock p. m. they will speak at the Uma Theater, at Exeter, and at 3:30 p. m. at the Arboretum at Lindsay. At night they will speak in the Majestic Theater at Porterville. Thos. F. Griffin, who was speaking with Neylan, will join him at Dinuba on Wednesday night, where they will speak in the Lincoln Grammar school. On Thursday evening, they will speak at Turlock, on Friday evening at the Star Theater in Oakdale, and will conclude the campaign on Saturday night, at Martinez. Charles A. Whitmore, editor of the Visalia Delta, will accompany Rowell and Neylan upon their tour of the east side points of Tulare county.

MORE PETITIONS FOR WATER OUT

Ten more families in Fresno Heights are seeking water and five of the ten already have signed a petition which will be presented to the city council Monday night. These ten families reside in black sewer and while there is no alley in this block, the property owners in signing the petition guarantee a right of way. This is the second petition asking for water by residents of this section, which will be presented the council Monday night, like the other one, asks the council to take up the matter and have the water company and, if the water is refused, to take up the matter with the State Railroad Commission.

Order it by Mail

When you find that you are unable to secure the excellent liquors and wines you want, mail your order to us. That is the way that neighbors of yours do and they find the highest satisfaction in ordering from us by mail.

Specialists in Family Trade
For many years we have made a specialty of catering to family trade and our goods have made us many friends.



Select Hallowe'en Novelties Now

The finest and largest assortment we have ever shown is now ready, including selections of black cats, witches and ghosts; 2 for 5c to 10c; 5c to 10c; 10c to 20c; 20c to 50c; 50c to 1.00; 1.00 to 1.50; 1.50 to 2.00; 2.00 to 2.50; 2.50 to 3.00; 3.00 to 3.50; 3.50 to 4.00; 4.00 to 4.50; 4.50 to 5.00; 5.00 to 5.50; 5.50 to 6.00; 6.00 to 6.50; 6.50 to 7.00; 7.00 to 7.50; 7.50 to 8.00; 8.00 to 8.50; 8.50 to 9.00; 9.00 to 9.50; 9.50 to 10.00; 10.00 to 10.50; 10.50 to 11.00; 11.00 to 11.50; 11.50 to 12.00; 12.00 to 12.50; 12.50 to 13.00; 13.00 to 13.50; 13.50 to 14.00; 14.00 to 14.50; 14.50 to 15.00; 15.00 to 15.50; 15.50 to 16.00; 16.00 to 16.50; 16.50 to 17.00; 17.00 to 17.50; 17.50 to 18.00; 18.00 to 18.50; 18.50 to 19.00; 19.00 to 19.50; 19.50 to 20.00; 20.00 to 20.50; 20.50 to 21.00; 21.00 to 21.50; 21.50 to 22.00; 22.00 to 22.50; 22.50 to 23.00; 23.00 to 23.50; 23.50 to 24.00; 24.00 to 24.50; 24.50 to 25.00; 25.00 to 25.50; 25.50 to 26.00; 26.00 to 26.50; 26.50 to 27.00; 27.00 to 27.50; 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TALKS ON HEALTH

By DR. W. A. EVANS
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The majority of women in this world have no regard for promptness. By that very fact they lose hours, days and years of the usefulness and enjoyment of life and its blessings.

Working women are compelled to be prompt. It is a large part of their success. In my profession the word promptness spells success. What would happen if the stars were not in the theater in time to appear at the advertised hour of opening? What would happen if the chorus girls and boys were to come to the theater an hour late? They would be immediately discharged. Their reputation for promptness would be ruined and they would be refused engagements.

How quickly a working girl or woman is laid off if by any excuse she appears late at the opening of business!

Time and discipline are the foundation of achievement. There are thousands of women who have no sense of the necessity for promptness, and they expect to accomplish things in this world. It is necessary which finally becomes the real test.

The woman who works for her bread knows that she will starve unless she is prompt. The same rule applies to the society woman, although few of them realize it.

The woman who promptly goes about her well-laid plans and does herself what another pays a hired mind to do accomplishes her desired results quickly and effectively.

The old saying that "brains may be bought" may be true but "thought brains" do not work for you as your own can.

The majority of women are lazy, and will place upon other shoulders any and all responsibilities they possibly can.

To accomplish the great task of convincing men that women should have the ballot has been, and still is, the greatest desire of women who work and of women who have aspirations to wealth. A great many of them work with sincerity and promptness and keen attention to detail. These

are the leaders, and if they do not accomplish that great victory this year it is because the majority of women are lazy and indolent, regardless of time and inattentive to details. All such conditions are indications of selfishness.

Unfortunately there are women who are still back numbers enough to think that by coming late to an appointment they convey a certain amount of importance. It is to them I would say that the day has passed when the world stands still to wait for them. The world is going along too swiftly for anyone, woman or man, to affect it in any way. Time offers the same amount to every one. You may take it or leave it, just as you choose. Use it or abuse it, it never varies, but consistently flows on regardless of persons or people.

In order to get into the life of things it is necessary to be up and doing from daylight to dusk. But selfishness must be cast from you and the betterment of the world considered.

The woman who says "I live as I please and consider no one but myself" will find herself alone before she realizes it. All will have passed her by; she will be just arriving when they have arrived, done their work and gone on progressively.

Indolence is not always the indication of wealth. It is more often the indication of a weak mind. Selfishness is sensuality. The woman who caters only to her own wishes will find that she becomes satiated with them, and if she does not quickly disintegrate she will long so desperately for some one to do for, or something to work for, that she will jump at any straw to drag her from the continual thought of self.

The woman or man who exercises her or his own will inexorably is not a fit associate for humanity.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

FLORENCE—Melt together in a water bath one-half ounce of white wax, one-half ounce of spermaceti, one ounce of lanolin, two ounces of sweet almond oil and one ounce of coconut oil. Take off the fire and beat until cold, adding little by little two ounces of orange flower water to which five drops of lincture of benzoin have been added. Be sure to beat ingredients constantly until quite cold. Beating is the secret of fine cream.

MARJORIE—Wash your eyes as carefully as you do your teeth. For inflamed and granulated lids use boric acid the strength of ten grains to six ounces of distilled water heat and strain. When cool use in an eye cup. For my use every day I take eight ounces of distilled water and add one ounce of a 20 per cent solution of boric acid and ten drops of spirits of camphor. If the camphor smarts dilute the mixture with pure water. Use this with an eye cup daily. It will send, if you wish, a splendid exercise for strengthening the eyes.

HIGH TENSION LINES
IMPRESS ENGINEERDr. Franz Nissler of
Switzerland Visits Local
Power Plants

The high tension, long distance transmission lines used by the power companies of this section for the transmission of electrical energy, very much impressed Dr. Franz Nissler, a prominent engineer of Fribourg, Switzerland, who spent a few days in Fresno last week, visiting with Felix M. Locher, Dr. Nissler is on a special tour of the United States, investigating the power industry. Plans similar to the one at Big Creek exist in Europe and some are even larger. In Switzerland the energy is used in railway service and in the aluminum industry. The largest Swiss power plant has a capacity of more than 100,000 horsepower. One of the largest European plants is located in Norway and has a capacity of more than 200,000 horsepower.

"In comparing California plants with those in Switzerland I find the main difference in the distance of the transportation of the energy, which is quite natural in considering the enormous size of this country, compared with the small territory of Switzerland," said Dr. Nissler.

"In consequence of this, the electrical engineers in this country are compelled to construct very high tension transmission lines, such as the Big Creek line to Los Angeles. This line with its 150,000 volts, has the highest tension of any line in the world. This is necessary in order to reduce the losses of energy in the line."

"The longest line in Switzerland will not surpass sixty to eighty miles and therefore the highest tension ever used in Switzerland goes up to only 60,000 volts. Naturally the use of a high tension line here, being many technical difficulties and in overcoming these difficulties, the Big Creek plant may be considered to have surpassed all expectations of the electrical world. This above all has been proved by the excellent results in the past twenty-two months."

VAN NESS BOULEVARD,
NOT K, IF YOU PLEASE!Residents of Renamed
Street Want Public to
Observe Change

Merchants and residents on Van Ness boulevard, formerly K street, are making an attempt to acquaint the public with the fact that the renaming has been made and is to be permanent. The change was officially made by the city trustees several months ago.

Business houses along this thoroughfare are beginning to advertise their location as Van Ness boulevard. This roadway extends from the state highway on the south to the San Joaquin river on the north, and connects with the state highway at Belmont. The change in name helps to avoid confusion among tourists and travelers passing through the city.

The Fresno State Normal, the court house, the post office and several new business buildings are located on the boulevard.

ITCHING SCALP

Dandruff and Itching can be cured without other remedies. Price 50c at all drug stores. Sample free at Smith Bros. Drug Store.

Beginning
Tomorrow

"Demonstration Week"

Consisting of Demonstrations By Each Department of WONDER
Magnitude of Assortments, Correct Styles And Low Prices

In conjunction with one of the greatest buying organizations in New York, Mr. Calm has made five trips to that city within the past year—returning from the last one only last Sunday—WONDER stocks are therefore, at this time representative of the very latest style creations—as completely as can possibly be—on an equal footing with the largest and finest stores in America. Each day this week, one or more departments will be featured, until a complete exposition of the new suits, dresses, coats, millinery, waists, skirts, underwear, etc., etc., will have been held. The entire window space will be devoted to a display of the garments specialized. This is planned as a demonstration of the immensity of WONDER stocks, The quality and style of WONDER selection—and WONDER low prices.

Tomorrow "Suit and Hat Day"

Monday, the entire window frontage will be devoted to suits and hats exclusively—a display from which one may gain an idea of the almost unlimited variety from which WONDER customers may choose. And in this display, which is distinguished throughout by the marks of quality and the smartest and newest of fashions, there's also, in every instance—the mark of a very reasonable price.



WONDER Millinery
Demonstration

To THE WONDER is conceded style, smartness and quality in millinery—"Demonstration Day" tomorrow will prove THE WONDER also a millinery store of better than ordinary values.

Hats At \$5 & 7.50

At these two prices—\$5 and 7.50 are presented hats produced by THE WONDER milliners, inspired by fashion models from the leading New York and Parisian designers.

Hats At \$10 To \$15

—At \$10 to \$15 are splendid new styles for street wear "Vogue" tailored models and plumed hats for dress wear.

French Room Hats

In the millinery French Room are shown fine, exclusive pattern hats—in distinctive designs from New York and from The Wonder workroom—moderate pricing a feature in every instance.

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Basement Millinery
1.98, 2.98, 3.98, 4.95

—The values shown in The Basement are, to women not accustomed to the down-tairs store, really surprising. In correct fashions are carefully followed—and qualities presented which in every instance are considerably better than are usually obtainable at the low prices asked.

Large varieties—no two alike at 1.98, 2.98, 3.98 and 4.95.

Shapes At 98c To 2.98

—A representative selection of the season's correct shapes in small turbans, medium and large sailors—including the newest in velvets is shown at 1.98 to 2.98. Other stylish shapes as low as 98c.

Trimmings 19c To 98c

New trimmings—metal ornaments, flowers, bows, stickups and fancies are shown at prices ranging from 19c to 98c (no charge for trimming when materials are purchased in the basement).

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TomorrowConsisting of Demonstrations By Each Department of WONDER
Magnitude of Assortments, Correct Styles And Low Prices

In conjunction with one of the greatest buying organizations in New York, Mr. Calm has made five trips to that city within the past year—returning from the last one only last Sunday—WONDER stocks are therefore, at this time representative of the very latest style creations—as completely as can possibly be—on an equal footing with the largest and finest stores in America. Each day this week, one or more departments will be featured, until a complete exposition of the new suits, dresses, coats, millinery, waists, skirts, underwear, etc., etc., will have been held. The entire window space will be devoted to a display of the garments specialized. This is planned as a demonstration of the immensity of WONDER stocks, The quality and style of WONDER selection—and WONDER low prices.

Tomorrow "Suit and Hat Day"

Monday, the entire window frontage will be devoted to suits and hats exclusively—a display from which one may gain an idea of the almost unlimited variety from which WONDER customers may choose. And in this display, which is distinguished throughout by the marks of quality and the smartest and newest of fashions, there's also, in every instance—the mark of a very reasonable price.

Special Suits 14.95

—A wonderful selection of new fall suits at the amazing low price at which they are offered. Wonderful, because such splendid suits should command a higher price, but WONDER SPECIALIZED SERVICE illustrates its efficiency in presenting them as typical WONDER values. Splendid gabardines and poplins, tailored in the season's smartest styles—many of them in the house less than two weeks.

Special Suits 19.75

Another extraordinary WONDER assortment, typical fall styles—and typical super-values. Fine, smoothly tailored gabardines, poplins, whips and broadcloths—many of the very newest fur trimmed designs among them—this assortment presents opportunity to secure a splendid suit at an exceedingly moderate price.

Elegant Suits At 29.50, \$35, 39.50

The main floor suit department presents hundreds of elegant suits from which to select at prices from 14.95, up to 39.50. A range of styles which comprehensively covers the field of fashions as accepted by the world's leading designers. Owing to a wonderfully successful season—the output has been the greatest in THE WONDER'S history—immense lots have been received and sold entirely out, so that the vast majority of suits now in stock are of very recent origin—mostly the very latest styles.

French Room Suits At \$45 to 99.50

The French Room suits are representative of the season's very finest fashion types—distinctive novelties which the New York fashion experts have selected from imported designs. The very large assortment shown is probably not excelled by many stores on the coast, and the very moderate prices at which these fine suits are marked, will be found, in most instances, lower than for similar style and quality in the larger city stores.

Demonstration Week In The Basement

The Great Underprice Cash Basement will hold a demonstration this week of superlative values—Monday, suits and hats, in which it will be shown that the Basement Store is the logical buying headquarters for women who require wearing apparel, correct in style, and at the least possible outlay without the sacrifice of dependable quality.

Stylish Suits At 9.95

In the Basement will be shown an assortment of this season's suits in excellent materials, correctly designed and carefully finished at only 9.95. Fine diagonal chevrons and fancy worsteds and cassimeres in plainly tailored designs that will appeal to women of conservative taste.

Splendid Tailor Suits At 17.95 & 19.75

At 17.95 and 19.75 The Basement shows very large varieties of the season's leading fashions—presenting a wide assortment of the most favored materials in almost a score of the leading styles including many of the very latest fur-trimmed box coat models with full flaring or plaited skirts. Several styles of each are displayed in the window near basement entrance.

Suits At \$25

THE WONDER presents this assortment of suits at \$25 as the very highest possible value obtainable. The price permits the use of materials of most excellent quality and of high class tailoring—better suits than THE WONDER has ever offered before so early in the season at so low a price.



Brain Workers

Cannot Retain Their Vim on
Heavy Food

Those who lead a sedentary life, like the average brain-worker, cannot possibly keep themselves in good health on the bill-of-fare of a longshoreman. The latter's occupation calls for constant, vigorous exercise, which enables him to work off the heavy foods which would only enervate and debilitate an office man.

Brain workers require light, easily-digested, yet nutritious food—something that will keep the brain clear and the mind active and alert.

Such a food is "Force"—known the country over as the best-balanced food ever produced. Force is made of whole wheat, scientifically cooked and blended with barley malt; then rolled, toasted and flaked. It is the ideal food for brain-workers—palatable, satisfying and full of "pep."

Try Force for a few weeks and you will be amazed at the results. It can be prepared in a number of tempting ways—fully explained in the little "Force" folder, which can be obtained at all good grocers. Insist upon "Force."

—Advertisement—

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This institution is devoted exclusively to the treatment of chronic and nervous diseases.

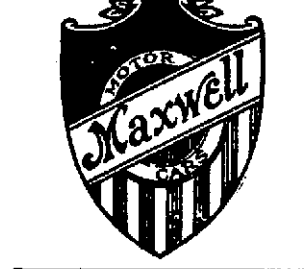
Special department for the treatment of Skin Diseases in all of its manifestations. Every modern means of treating and combating the disease is systematically and effectively employed by skilled physicians.

Patients from out of town can find suitable accommodations at our private sanitarium, where they will receive all medical and surgical attention, including nursing, room and board, at moderate rates.

For information regarding accommodations, rates and office treatment, apply or address Herman Silverman, M. D., physician in charge, Suite 623-624 Rowell Building, Fresno, California.

Free clinic for indigents Mondays and Fridays, 2-5 p. m.

—Advertisement—

Don't Use Curling Iron!
Here's a Better Method

(Woman Beautiful)
By no means use a heated iron. It makes the hair dry and dead looking, giving it most unpleasant appearance. A Maxwell brush the hair thoroughly, just dip a clean tooth brush in a saucer of plain liquid ammonia and run it through the tangle of the hair to be curled. Do this at bedtime and you will be quite surprised when you behold yourself in the mirror next morning. The hair will be beautifully wavy and curling and the effect will appear altogether natural. You will have no trouble in doing up your tresses in the style you desire and they will look neat and fluffy and comfortable. You need not hesitate to use pure liquid ammonia, which you can procure at any drug store, as it is perfectly harmless and will leave no greasy, lumpy or sticky trace. A few suns will last for months.

—Advertisement—

MONEY AND WATCH
TAKEN BY HOLDUPS

E. E. James, who lives at the Allen rooming house, was held up at midnight Friday night at the corner of Kern street and the Southern Pacific reservation by two men and robbed of \$8 and a watch.

H. W. Neely, who lives at 820 T street, reported to the police yesterday that some time Friday night his home was entered and clothing to the value of \$25 stolen.

NEEDS JUVENILE
COURT PROTECTION

A petition was filed by Probation Officer Sessions yesterday with the court praying that Marvin Davis, 18 years old be made a ward of the court in that he has no parent or guardian exercising parental control over him. His father, A. H. Davis, lives at 1827 Clay street.

—Advertisement—

Stove Pipe 5-inch, 15c a Joint
6-inch, 20c a Joint

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Don't put them under a constant strain that will ruin them.

Let us fit the glasses that will make your eyes as strong and keen as they ever were.

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News and Advertisements
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Dr. Howard, dentist.

Use Danish Creamery butter.

Pasteurized milk, Jersey Farm Dairy.

Dr. Sorenson, dentist, 525 Rowell Bldg.

For your glasses see Dr. Laine, Re-
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French rolls for parties and banquets.

S. H. Scapito, dealer in pictures and
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Have your yard cleaned by the Fresno
Scavenger Co., 1306 Main St.

Ukulele and steel guitar taught in ten
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Dr. Baaser, specializing on regulation
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Miss Kate Parsons, Fresno, flowers
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Trunks, pianos, furniture packed and
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FORBES TO SPEAK AT
COMMERCIAL CLUB

State Booster Is Making
Tour in Interest of
Rural Credits

Edgar Allen Forbes, secretary for
the California Development Board,
will make an address at the Comm-
ercial Club next Tuesday
on progressive development of the
state. He is touring the state in the
interest of rural credits legislation and
will make reference to this subject
during his talk before the club mem-
bers.

Probably no member of the board
has been more active in working for
progressive development in California
than has Forbes. He is well posted on
conditions relative to all lines of
business in the state and will be able
to give information especially inter-
esting to local business men.

Forbes will arrive in Fresno tomor-
row and will remain in the city until
Wednesday. Persons desiring informa-
tion on the inside workings and ad-
vantages of a rural credit system
should endeavor to hear him speak,
as he is said to be well informed on
the subject.

CITRUS CANKER HAS
APPEARED IN AMERICA

Federal Authorities Called
Upon to Aid in Stamp-
ing Malady Out

Citrus canker, which is believed to
have been brought to this country
from Japan, has appeared in the cit-
rus localities in Florida, and which
threatens incalculable damage, as it
has already reported in sixteen coun-
ties in that state. The fungoid malady
has not been widely distributed
throughout the country but the State
Commissioner of Horticulture of Cal-
ifornia is urging on the congressional
delegation from this state to use its
best endeavor to secure desirable and
enough for legislation. Florida citrus
growers have appealed to the federal
authorities for an appropriation of
\$2,000,000 to stamp out the disease.

Everett P. Roulard, county commis-
sioner of horticulture of Fresno coun-
ty, has received information from the
state commissioner advising him of
the action taken.

TAX BILLS BEING
MAILED TAXPAYERS

The mailing of tax bills by the tax
collector, Ray Baker, of Fresno
county, will not be completed before
the end of the coming week. All
would have been sent out and in the
hands of the taxpayers by this time
had it not been for the change in the
law which has caused some confusion.

The new law, changed the date of
payment which was not generally
known and understood by the public.
from the second Monday in October to
the third Monday in the month. Bills
for Fresno city and vicinity will be
the last ones mailed.

CLUB DINNERS
PROVE POPULAR

The Sunday night get-acquainted
dinner at the Commercial Club for
members and their families are gain-
ing in popularity, according to the
club secretary. More than sixty reser-
vations had been made last night and
others are expected this morning.

The first fellowship dinner was held
last Sunday night with a good at-
tendance. Following the dinner, a
short time is spent in conversation and
listening to music.

DEATHS

VAN VLEER In Fresno, October 16,
1915, at 612 Poplar avenue, John Van
Vleer, aged 86 years. He leaves to
mourn his loss a daughter, Mrs. Marion
Ella Vleer of Fresno, and two sons,
John H. and William R.

Friends and acquaintances are re-
spectfully invited to attend the funeral
services from Lisle Brothers funeral
parlors Monday at 1:30 p. m. Rev. C.
L. Beall will conduct services. Interment
Mountain View cemetery.

SMITH—In Fresno, Wednesday, October
13, 1915, E. H. Smith.

Funeral services will be held in
Stephens & Bean's chapel at 2 o'clock
Monday, October 18. Friends and ac-
quaintances respectfully invited to at-
tend.

NOBI—In Fresno, 738 F street, Nobu,
beloved wife of Koze Oishi, and re-
sident of Kokichi, loving aunt of
Suzo Ikeda of San Francisco; cousin
of Mrs. H. T. Sawar of Seattle, Wash.

Mrs. E. O. Bennett and Capt. A. Ad-
ama of Fresno. A native of Yoko-
hama, Japan, aged 61 years, 7 months
and 21 days.

Funeral services were conducted by
Rev. T. Kudara, Wednesday afternoon
at 2 o'clock, October 13, at the Japa-
nese Buddhist church and the Fresno
Crematory chapel.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. J. O. Hickman and daughter of
Hanford are stopping at the Hotel
Fresno.

G. N. Turner, S. H. Ward, H. Brown
and T. H. Mullineaux complete an auto-
mobile party from Los Angeles staying
at the Hughes.

At 11 Panning and wife of Stockton
are registered at the Hughes.

Lewis F. Reid and wife are at the
Hotel Fresno.

E. I. Allendorn of the U. S. S. Dan-
cester registered at the Hughes hotel yester-
day.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

TOLLADAY-JACOBSON—George Toll-
aday, California, and Selma Jacobson,
Nebraska, 22, Madras.

MARRIED

TOLLADAY-JACOBSON—At the Danish
Lutheran church, October 13, 1915,
George Tolladay and Selma Jacobson,
both residents of Madras, Calif., Rev.
J. Johansen officiating.

NOTICE

SINCE owners for the arrest and
conviction of persons for persons for
stealing milk or cream belonging to
the patrons of the Danish Creamery
association.

—Advertisement.

STOP THAT COUGH
With S. B. Lane Tonic. Never fails
to give results; only at Smith Bros.
Drug Store.

—Advertisement.

—This great cash store is doing a marvelous
service for you men and women by providing
better clothes and better things for your
homes at matchless low prices. Read the
items on this page. Every one is a wonderful
value. Take advantage of them and SAVE
MONEY.

Hour Sale

Sensational
Bargains

9 to 10 A. M.
Tomorrow

—No phone or C. O. D. orders.
Be early, as quantities in some
lots are limited. For just 1
hour—9 to 10 tomorrow.

25c Aprons 5c

—Bib Aprons, in percale or gin-
ham.

20c Rompers 5c

—Of Percale, sizes 2 to 6.

50c Sacques 25c

—Flannelette Dressing Sacques, in
dark colors.

Girls' 50c Dresses 25c

—Of Percale, in dark colors; 2 to 6
sizes.

25c Booties 10c

—Infants' Wool Booties, in white
and pink, or white and blue.

98c House Dresses 35c

—Women's Dresses in percale; odd
sizes.

40c Jackets 15c

—Infants' white flannelette Jackets.

50c Petticoats 25c

—Women's Petticoats; odd lot; in
nearly all shades.

50c Waists 25c

—Women's lingerie Waists; slight-
ly soiled.

12 1-2c Percale 8 1-2c

—In dots, stripes or figures.

Calico 3 3-4c

—Dots, stripes and figures in light
and dark shades; fast colors.

Apron Gingham 4 1-2c

—Fast indigo blue; all size checks.

\$1 Kitchen Set 39c

—6 pieces; aluminum cake turner,
soap strainer, tea strainer, measur-
ing cup, funnel and rod to hang
them.

6 Cups and Saucers For
36c

—Best quality white porcelain.

6 Plates 36c

—7 inch Dinner Plates of white
porcelain; every one perfect; no
seconds.

Men's Union Suits 74c

—\$1.00 garments; cotton ribbed;
natural gray or ecru; sizes 34 to 48.

\$1.00 Shirts 69c

—Men's golf shirts, in solidette or
ecru; plain white, tan, gray or
fancy stripes; all sizes.

5 Pairs Hose 19c

—Men's black hose; 5 pairs in box.

45c Rag Rugs 13c

—Made from clean, new rugs; col-
ors, blue, green, tan, brown, yellow;
size 18x36.

15c Oriental Lace 5c

—Widths up to 4 1-2 inches; white
or ecru; dainty patterns.

Notions

—Paper Plus 1c

—Linen finish Thread; spool, 1c

—Safety Pins; any size; dozen, 1c

—Darning Cotton; dozen spools, 1c

—10c pkg. Mary's or Peet's Hooks
and Eyes 3c

25c Ribbons 15c

—5 inches wide; all silk; hundreds
of pretty patterns; for bows, sashes,
etc.

5c Laces 1c Yard

—German and French Val. Laces
and Insertions; 1 inch wide; odds
and ends.

Lace Collars 25c

—Worth to \$1.00; round and square
styles; of fine Venice lace.

Children's 25c Union
Suits 12 1-2c

—Fleece lined; medium weight;
high neck; long sleeves; ankle
length.

50c Short Gloves 25c

—2-clasp chambrasse Gloves, in
black, white, natural, gray and tan;
all sizes.

15c Hose 8 1-3c

—Women's cotton Hose, in black or
tan; medium and light weights.

THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE
Radin & Kamp
TULARE ST. BETWEEN I. AND J.
We Sell for Less Because We Sell for Cash

Free Fare!

—Save our Profit-Share Stamps and come to Fresno
at our expense. We will redeem 50 stamps by
paying for 2 miles of travel, whether you come on
the railroad or on an auto stage. Or, if you come to
Fresno in your own auto, you can get 1 gallon of
gasoline for 100 stamps.

Fur Trimmed Suits, \$35 Values, \$24.75



—There are many distinguishing features about these superb suits. The materials
are rich and beautiful, the tailoring is remarkably fine, the linings, and all the other
details of their make-up are of the highest order, but they are principally notable
for their refined and elegant styles. They were fashioned for discriminating women
who want beautiful and exclusive apparel. The materials are broadcloths and pop-
lins, in the leading shades, and the coats are trimmed with fur. \$35 values. On special
pricing \$24.75

Suits \$12.75
\$20 Values

—Stunning suits of exceptional value. About 150 in the
lot. A special purchase for spot cash. Very latest
styles, with full flaring skirts. Tailored from serges,
poplins, broadcloths and whitecloths, in the full shades.
Beautifully lined with satin. Sizes for women and misses, \$20
values, with Alterations Free \$12.75

Coats \$14.75
\$20 and \$22.50 Values

—Push coats of such fine quality and beautiful style
that it will amaze you to see them priced as low as
\$14.75. Latest flaring effects—large shawl collars.
Beautifully lined with satin. Sizes 34 to 44. \$20 and
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Dress Skirts Worth Up To \$6---\$3.98

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Stylish and well made fall skirts in the season's smartest materials. Pleated or plain tailored
models, in great variety. Sizes from misses' to extra sizes for stout women. \$5 and \$6 skirts on
sale tomorrow at \$3.98

—Girls' Serge Dresses—All wool serge in navy blue—trimmed with white braid and lace facings;
sailor collars; all sizes—\$5 values, on special sale tomorrow at the extremely low price of \$2.98

\$1.35 Black Taffeta On 300 Beautiful Waists
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—A wonderful black taffeta at the low price of 95c a yard
Full yard wide—rich, soft chiffon finish. A beautiful, durable
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Silks at \$1.49

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36 inches wide. —Main Floor

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Society



away from Fresno, as they are to make their home here.

Miss Laura Glenn and Mrs. Clara Knight arrived on Friday from a sojourn in the Yosemite valley to join their mother, Mrs. M. L. Glenn of San Francisco, in a week-end visit with Dr. and Mrs. George Aiken. Mrs. Glenn has spent the past week in the Aiken household.

College activities at the University of California for the full season, climaxed last night, in so far as the English club is concerned with an elaborate presentation of "Prunella," at the Greek theater, by the English club of the University. It was an attractive love story that Prunella told, and youthful grace and charm pervaded the amphitheater in the Berkeley hills. One of the most charming of the participants was Miss Camille Purdy of this city, a talented young thespian, whose ability as an actress has been recognized in campus circles. Miss Purdy had one of the principal roles.

Mrs. William Starratt of Alameda, is the house guest of Miss Julia Sayre.

Mrs. Frances Kendall McClung, of Pasadena, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Fairweather. Mrs. McClung and Mrs. Fairweather leave on Tuesday for San Francisco, where they will enjoy a visit at the Panama exposition.

Mrs. Theodore Huchhaupt will entertain at bridge on Wednesday at her home on Peralta way.

Miss Dealsey Brooks will be the complimentary guest at an afternoon of bridge on Thursday, when Miss Clara Granz will entertain at her home in the country.

The tea which was to have been given by the Lambda Theta Phi Society on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Miss Dorothea Burdick, has been deferred for a week.

Members of the Friday Night Cotillion club are anticipating with much interest the beginning of the dancing season, the first party of the series of four, to be an event of the Thanksgiving period.

The marriage of Miss Leora Schaeffer and Sam C. Sample will be the concluding event of interest this week. Their nuptials to be celebrated at 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon at St. Paul's Methodist church. Miss Anne Sample will be the bride's only attendant, and Hal Collins will serve as best man.

The Woman's Auxiliary of St. James' Episcopal church will entertain on Wednesday afternoon and evening with a tea and musicale at the hotel Fresno. The afternoon tea patrons will also be regaled with delightful musical numbers, and a large number of tables have been reserved. The program for the afternoon is as follows: "Hungarian Dance," Brahms

Mrs. Wallace McAfee
Voice, (a) "Bowl of Roses" Coningsby Clark
(b) "Gray Days" Noel Johnson
Miss Marjorie Guard
Voice, (a) "A Perfect Day" Carrie Jacobs-Bond
(b) "Carissima" Arthur Penn
Miss Ethel Hiew
Voice, (a) "Goodbye, Summer" Frank Lynes
(b) "The Cuckoo" Lehmann

Miss Ada Camp
In the evening, the operetta, "A Night in Italy," written by Miss Harriett Bennett, with music adapted from the various operas, will be featured in a foreign hotel, as the splendidly arranged "properties" will be very fitting for the hotel court. The personnel includes Misses Carlotta Harrison, Aimee Way, Doris Hudson, Joseph Tiler, Helen Deto, Harriett Bennett.

Hawaiian airs will be given with ukulele accompaniment by the following group: Misses Helen Rogers, Dorothy Forsyth, Gertrude Swift, Marcia Edwards, Annette Blincoe, Gene Logan.

Mrs. W. J. Baker will leave early in November for Memphis, Tenn., where she will enjoy a winter sojourn with relatives.

Mrs. H. D. Carver was the hostess at a very delightful reunion of relatives on Friday evening, when the eighty-third birthday anniversary of her father, D. O. Bean, was made the incentive for a dinner party. Sharing the honors of the occasion with Mrs. Bean were his two nieces, Mrs. P. V. Hagdale of Paris, Mo., and Mrs. A. S. Houston of Mexico, Mo., who are enjoying a sojourn in Fresno. The occasion was also in the nature of a house warming, being the first function to grace the lovely new home at 380 N. street.

Among those in the group were Messrs. and Mesdames L. O. Stephens, J. D. Stephens, W. E. Whitlock, W. A. Bean, Misses Estelle and Jane Gray, Mrs. F. V. Hagdale, Mrs. A. S. Houston, D. O. Bean, Mrs. M. L. Westover.

Mrs. S. S. Hockett leaves today for Los Angeles for a week's sojourn.

Miss Anne Kjeldsen entertained very happily yesterday at her home on Fortcamp avenue, complimenting Mrs. Floyd Hawkins, (Molly McNeil) a bride of the early summer. Progressive whist provided the afternoon's diversion, and attractive refreshments were served to Miss Marie Chartrand and Miss Adele Hume for the relative scores at the end of the games.

Among those included in the party were Mesdames Albert Bannister, Byron Stebbins, J. A. Brogan, George Kernshaw, Theodore Maden, M. Lock, W. A. Bean, Misses Nina, Misses Harriett McNeil, Rowena McNeil, Miriam Bonnell, Adele Hume, Cleo Easton, Vida Farr, Marie Chartrand, Ada Camp, Reva Thomas.

Mrs. W. L. Adams will entertain the members of the North Park Lodge Club on Friday afternoon at her home on Peralta way.

St. Agnes' Guild of the Episcopal church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Miss Eva Clark on K street.

The Busy Hour Circle of the First Christian church assembled at the church on Tuesday for a 1 o'clock luncheon. The members are privileged to bring guests.

Miss Edith Pearson will entertain on Tuesday for Miss Leora Schaeffer, whose marriage to Sam Sample is to be an event of next Saturday.

Oliver Chapter of St. James' Guild will meet with Mrs. W. E. Bennett, 845 Cambridge avenue, on Monday afternoon.

East Fresno Chapter of St. James' Guild will hold a social afternoon Friday at the home of Mrs. W. J. Elliott, 110 M street.

The Wednesday Afternoon Card Club will be entertained this week by Mrs. Arthur Perkins at her home on Peralta way.

Douglas Uridge will entertain a group of the high school contingent at a dancing party on Friday night at the Parlor Lecture Club house.

Miss Constance Beveridge will be the hostess at the meeting of the Bridgettes on Friday afternoon, at the home on Eggers' vineyard.

The Friday Afternoon Card Club will enjoy their games of auction this week as the guests of Mrs. Frederick Kimble, at her home on Wishon avenue.

Mrs. M. K. Harris entertained about a score of friends very delightfully at an informal picnic yesterday at her ranch east of town, the party including a number who enjoyed excursions together during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Conklin are receiving congratulations from their friends upon the arrival of a little daughter in their household, who is being introduced as Dorothy Marie.

Friendship Circle of the Northside Christian church, will hold its regular meeting with Mrs. C. A. Hancock.

Selling Out the Garment Dept.

At the Most Startling Price Reductions to Make Room for the Largest Millinery Dept. in Fresno

Sweaters

Ladies' light weight all wool sweaters, in all colors; plain weaves \$6.00

Ladies' silk knitted sweaters; colors black and white, black and gold, black and green. Price \$6.00

Ladies' knit togues, in green, cardinal, black and white, oxford and all white 50c to 98c

Infants' fiber silk togues, white with pink or blue trimming. Price 50c

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Ladies' medium weight cotton vests; high neck; long sleeves. Price 50c

Dr. Diemel's linen mesh underwear, for ladies, misses and infants. Prices \$1.25 to \$6.00

Children's merode vests and pants, in cotton and wool 65c

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Gotham gold stripe, the famous make with the patented run proof tops that garner-clasps cannot ruin; full fashioned silk hosiery, beautifully clear and lustrous, with sturdy elastic silk heels tops and feet; black, white, pearl, champagne and smoke. Price \$1.00

Ladies' Gotham gold stripe under size silk hose, with wide elastic heels tops; black only. Price \$1.25

Handkerchiefs

Ladies' handkerchiefs; a large assortment in linen, hand embroidered corner, lineweave and dimity, in all white and embroidered corner, or white with colored embroidery and borders; also lace edge 10c

Ladies' all linen hand embroidered corner, hemstitched hem, in all white, or with colored embroidery; 3 for \$1.00, or each 35c

Ladies' plain lineweave and cross-hatched handkerchiefs; some have colored hem 5c

Good Gloves

Ladies' one-clasp washable glove, in shades of tan and putty \$1.25

Ladies' splendid kid gloves; two-clasp; oversize self stitching; in tan, mode, navy, gray, cream, black and white \$1.75

Ladies' one-clasp mocha gloves; plique seam; in gray and black \$1.50

Ladies' well known Dents cape glove; plique seam; Paris point stitching; two-clasp \$2.00

234 Coast avenue, Tuesday afternoon, at 2:30.

John Coates will join his father, W. D. Coates, Sr., at the "Pines," for a week-end sojourn.

J. P. Bernhard left at the latter part of the week on a trip to Washington, D. C.

Mrs. J. M. Howard left on Thursday for Texas, where she will visit relatives for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. Mount K. Wild have at their house guests, the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ludlow, of Piqua, Ohio, who are enjoying a season's sojourn in California.

The Wednesday Social Club of Lena Star, will be entertained by Mrs. Starr Williams on Wednesday afternoon, at her home on North avenue.

Mrs. R. J. McReynolds of La Belle, Mo., arrived in Fresno yesterday and is the guest of her sisters, Dr. Sarah Pugh and Miss Sophronia Pugh, at their home, 635 Fortcamp avenue. The three are spending the week-end with relatives in Oront.

Mrs. H. L. Cressy is enjoying a visit in the Bay regions as the guest of Mrs. Frank J. Cavanaugh, (formerly Belle Horst of this city) at her recently completed home in Fourth avenue terrace, in Oakland.

Clarence Eddy, Pipe Organist, to Open Philharmonic Season

The opening concert of the Philharmonic Society will bring Clarence Eddy, the eminent pipe organist to Fresno on Friday night, when he will give a program at the First Methodist church. Mr. Eddy is not a stranger to Fresno audiences, having appeared here on several previous occasions, when he commanded the highest praise.

He is an eminent organist and his command of the organ is masterful. His dexterity at the instrument, his technical resources and his scholarship all combine to entitle him to the distinction.

Mr. Eddy is a remarkable representative of his art and is as well known in Europe as in America. He is without doubt the most distinguished American artist upon this noble instrument. He has played at several of the great organs since the one in Vienna, in 1873, and now in his ripened years, is achieving the greatest success of his life, playing at the installation of every great organ from New York to the



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Silk Dresses \$2.95-\$6.95-\$9.95

Wash Dresses 79c-98c-\$2.95

Silk Petticoats 98c to \$3.95

Children's Dresses 79c to \$1.95

Children's Coats 98c to \$4.95

Everything else is offered at proportionate reductions.

Sale of Ostrich Plumes

\$1.75 Values, 79c \$2.00 Values, 98c

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We are quoting here--some of our best numbers--in popular black silks.

BONNIE & KOBBS--44-in. Black Chiffon Taffetas--in a beautiful soft effect, yard \$3.00

BONNIE & KOBBS--40-in. Grenadine Satin--A new soft clingy satin, yard \$2.50

BONNIE & KOBBS--44-in. Pique d' Soie--The new soft tulle finish, yard \$3.50

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We are placing on sale Monday--in our basement salesroom--these 99 per cent pure aluminum--lipped--three-quart--sauce pans--at a remarkable bargain price. They are absolutely first grade goods--and are guaranteed to give full satisfaction.

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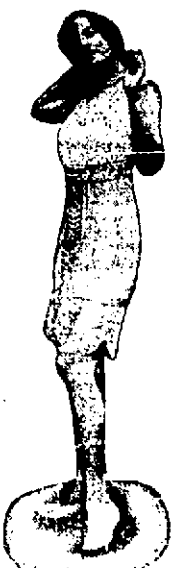
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District Club Events



The Lindsay Arboretum, home of the Tuesday Club of that place

Among the most progressive of the federated clubs in the San Joaquin district, is the Tuesday Club of Lindsay, whose recently issued year book, is an outline of brilliant work for the winter season of study. The calendar is made out as follows:

Calendar for 1915-1916

October Fifth.— Reception—Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Lucile Green, Mrs. Thurt, Miss Noyes, Mrs. Boren, Mrs. Cairns, Mrs. Lulu McLean.
Address—Mrs. A. B. Armstrong, Fowler, President of the San Joaquin Valley District Federation.
Business.
Tea.
October Nineteenth.— Lecture—Child Psychology, Mr. G. H. Huntington, Fresno.
Business.
November Second.— Social Hour—Mrs. Burnett, Hostess.
Business.
November Fifth and Sixth.— Annual Chrysanthemum Show, Saturday, November Sixth.— Madonna.
Waiting Mothers.
One Act Plays, by George Middleton—Mrs. W. P. Miller.
November Sixteenth.— School Visitation, Business.

November Thirtieth.— Bridge Luncheon—Mrs. Dowell, Mrs. Keyes, Mrs. Lucile Green.
Saturday, December Fourth.— "Children of Earth," Ten thousand dollar prize play by Alice Brown—Mrs. W. P. Miller.
December Seventh.— Social Hour—Mrs. Vann, Hostess.
Business.
December Twenty-First.— Christmas Donation.
Business.
January Fourth.— Social Hour—Mrs. Eva M. Dodge, Hostess.
Pioneer Day.
Business.
January Eighteenth.— Illustrated Lecture—"City Planning," Mr. Chas. H. Cheney, Berkeley.
Business.
February First.— Social Hour—Mrs. Hess, Hostess.
Business.
February Fifth.— Lecture—Subject to be Announced, Mrs. W. P. Miller.
February Fifteenth.— Lecture—What Women Ought to Know about the Law, Mr. Maurice Powers, Visalia.
Business.
February Twenty-Ninth.— Leap Year Ball—Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Northern, Miss Hess.

February Twenty-First.— Arbor Day; Business.
Saturday, April First.— Lecture—Mrs. W. P. Miller.
April Fourth.— Social Hour—Mrs. Olive Hostetter, Hostess; Business.
April Eighteenth.— Mock Trial; Business.
May Second.— Club Breakfast—Mrs. Maud Marshall; Mrs. Ida McLean; Mrs. Graves.
Annual Business Meeting.
Saturday, May Sixth.— Lecture—Mrs. W. P. Miller.
May Thirtieth.— Program—Civic Committee.
Business.
May Sixteenth.— Garden Party—Mrs. Cairns; Mrs. Henderson; Mrs. Sailer.
Business.
Program for Study Class.
"The first thing to do, if you have not done it, is to fall in love with your work."—Bay View Magazine.
Leader—Miss Ruth Mason.
October Twelfth.— "History of Rome," Chapter I-VII; "Rome of Today"; "By-Gone Rome," Magazine.
October Twenty-Sixth.— "History of Rome," Chapter VII-XII, Inclusive. "St. Peter's and the Vatican," "The Royal Family," Magazine.
November Ninth.— "History of Italy," Chapter I-VII, Inclusive. "The Dream City of the Adriatic," "Early Christian Art," Magazine.
November Twenty-Third.— "History of Italy," Chapter VII-XV, Inclusive. "Venetian Art," Magazine.
December Fourteenth.— "Renaissance and Modern Art," Chapter I-VIII. "Milan and the Italian Lakes," "The Morning Stars in Italian Art," "Leonardo da Vinci" and "Industrial Italy," Magazine.
January Eleventh.— "Renaissance and Modern Art," Chapter VIII-XV. "Florence, the Art Capital of Italy," "Michael Angelo," Magazine.
January Twenty-Fifth.— "Renaissance and Modern Art," Chapter XV-XXII. "Raphael of Urbino," "Dante and the Divine Comedy," Magazine.
February Eighth.— "Renaissance and Modern Art," Chapter XXII-XXIX. "Caples by the Sea," "Rural Italy," Magazine.
February Twenty-Second.— "Renaissance and Modern Art," Chapter XXIX-End. "Modern Italian Art," "Women and Home Life of Italy," Magazine.
March Fourteenth.— "Greek Life," Chapter I-V. "Sicily and Magic Isle," "American Schools in Italy," Magazine.
March Twenty-Eighth.— "Greek Life," Chapter V-IX. "The Art of Guido Reni"; to Conova the Father of Modern Italian Art; "Philippe Giovanni Bueno"; and Garibaldi, Italy's Greatest Patriot," Magazine.
April Eleventh.— "Greek Life," Chapter IX-XIII. "The Athens of Today," "Among the Ruins of Ancient Athens," Magazine.
April Twenty-Fifth.— "Greek Life," Chapter XIII-XVII. "The Royal Family of Greece," "The Greek People," Magazine.
May Ninth.— "Greek Life," Chapter XVII to End. "A Trip through Greece," "Archaeological Treasures of the National Museum," "Masterpieces of Greek Art," "Homer and the Epics of Greece," Magazine.

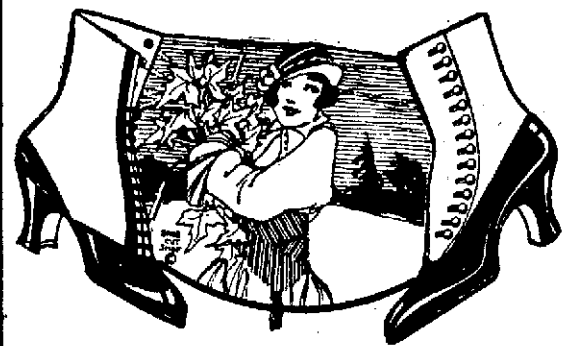


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BRITISH AND FRENCH TROOPS START LAND MARCH FOR SERBIA

French and Germans Both Claim Successes Along the Western Battle Front

Troops of the Entente Allies have left Saloniki for the Bulgarian frontier, according to a news dispatch from Athens. The Allied forces are said to have started Saturday for the Serbian front, where the Bulgarians are reported to be making progress in their assault on the defenses of the Serbians.

In the western theater of war, a vigorous counter-attack delivered by the French in the Vosges enabled them to recapture all their positions on the French in the Hartmanns-Weckerkopf, according to the latest official statement from Paris. The French also claim to have taken a small fort previously occupied by the Germans. An official statement from Berlin claims that a German attack made with the object of improving the Teutonic positions on Hartmanns-Weckerkopf, was entirely successful, the opposing forces suffering severe losses.

Hard fighting has been in progress on all important battle fronts, the latest official reports show most desperate engagements having been fought in Serbia, where Teutonic invasion is indicated by Berlin to be making further progress.

Field Marshal Mackensen, directing operations on the Serbian drive, reports the storming of Vranova mountain, south of Smoljino village, east of Pozarevac, where Bulgarian troops, pressing on the Serbian border to the south, are declared to have forced the enemy to retreat at several points and to have taken the eastern forts of Zastec, some five miles over the border in Serbia and about forty miles north-east of Nish.

Special dispatches from Nish estimate the Teutonic losses in the Serbian campaign up to Thursday night last at 25,000 killed and 60,000 wounded. It is declared in these advices that a German army which attempted to turn the Serbian right wing at Semendria, was driven into the marshes on the Danube near Semendria. Heavy reinforcements for the Germans in the Pozarevac section are reported on the way.

On the western front, the German record the repulse of an attack on their positions northeast of Verdun, where the British hold the line, and the blocking of French assaults at various points in the Champagne district, notably east of Auberive, where the French are declared to have lost more than 600 prisoners and three machine guns in the German hands. German troops are also declared to have carried out a successful move for improving their positions on Hartmanns-Weckerkopf, in the Vosges, and to have followed a French attempt to retake positions south of Verdun.

Paris reports the repulse of German attacks north of Reillon, in Lorraine, and between the Linge and the Schtrazmann in the Vosges. Berlin's account of operations in the east is confined entirely to the record of repulses of Russian attacks. These are given as taking place at Dvinsk and other points toward the northern end of the line, and in the region of Smolensk. Nothing is said of the operations in Volhynia or in Galicia.

Saloniki Expedition

LONDON, Oct. 16, 10:44 p. m.—An Athens dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says: "The railway administration at Saloniki was ordered today to prepare seven trains for the transportation of the Allied troops to Greece. They will start tomorrow."

Venizelos for Allies

PARIS, Oct. 16, 5:35 a. m.—Eminent hope for the success of the Allies was expressed by former Premier Venizelos of Greece when asked by the Athens correspondent of the Martin to express his opinion of the refusal.

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of the new Greek government to send an army to the assistance of Serbia. "It was because I foresaw the new government would take this attitude that I made the speech I did in the Chamber on the 12th. I have nothing to add to it but none hopes more ardently than I for an early and decisive success for the Allies. I am more deeply convinced today than I was yesterday of their final triumph."

English Summary

LONDON, Oct. 16, 10 p. m.—Rumania has joined Greece in declining to enlarge the configuration in the near-east by declaring officially that the Rumanian government intends to observe strict neutrality.

This announcement closed close on official German intimations that it was time that Bulgaria gave some definite indications of Rumania's stand, in view of the latest developments in the Balkans. From a German source, also, comes a report that British and French ministers are leaving Athens. But this report is discredited and it is well-known that they are still in the city.

Unofficial reports from Petrograd say the Germans appear to be on the defensive along the entire line, except that section near Dvinsk which, it is said, they have been ordered to capture at any cost.

Berlin, however, officially reports Russian attacks not only before Dvinsk, but at a number of other places, and adds that they have been repulsed. These attacks were, it is said, comprised within the army group of Field Marshal von Hindenburg which is taken to mean that the Russians have assumed something in the nature of a general offensive along the front, of which Dvinsk forms a vital salient.

Along the western front, many isolated bomb attacks have occurred, with varying fortunes. Italy is again unofficially reported to be on the verge of joining her allies in the Balkan campaign. While the French and British are still landing troops at Saloniki for the army which will be under the supreme command of General Zarrali, the former commander in chief of the French army of the Orient, the Germans announce that their forces continue to make headway against the Serbians, whose positions south of Semendria have been stormed.

The Bulgarians are said to have forced the frontier ridges at several points between Negotin and Strumika. That Bulgaria does not anticipate any hostile action on the part of Greece is indicated by a dispatch from Bucharest stating that Greece has purchased large amounts of wheat from Bulgaria which will be permitted passage through Bulgarian territories.

Turkish Report

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 16, via London, 12:10 p. m.—An official communication issued today by the Turkish War Department says:

"Nothing of importance has occurred on the Danubian front. Near Anafarta and Ari Burni there was from time to time reciprocal rifle and artillery fire."

"Near Suddul Bahr our bomb throwers on our right wing caused a fire to break out in the enemy's trenches. Our artillery silenced enemy artillery which was shooting our left wing near Tekke Burni, and a fire lasting an hour broke out in the enemy camp."

"Elsewhere there is nothing to report."

FRESNO TO OBSERVE GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL TODAY

Record Attendance of Young People Is Expected

W. D. Eastman of Y. M. C. A. Tells of Significance of Day

The second annual "Go to Sunday School Day" will be observed by the churches of Fresno today. An extensive advertising campaign has been conducted under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. This morning a committee of several hundred young people will visit the homes of the city and extend personal invitations to the residents with the intention of securing a record attendance in the Sunday schools of the city.

The significance of the day has been set forth by W. D. Eastman, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in the following statement:

It is an optimistic thought that in this time of warfare and strife, when almost the whole world is thinking distraction, there will be assembled today in the Sunday schools of the world millions of men, women and children thinking "Peace," who will far outnumber the men engaged in war. "Go to Sunday School Day" will

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What remains of this stock must be cleared at once, to make room for other shipments. Outlets heavily enameled in blue, with black trimmings and handles. While insides and strongly constructed. Under we have listed a few examples of prices.

1 1-2 Qt. Double Boiler, 75c

\$1.15, for \$1.15

Tea Kettles, \$1.40, for \$1.40

Seamless Bucket, 1 1-2 quart, 50c

Preserving Kettle, 2 quart, 50c

for \$1.15

Coffee Pot, 2 quart, \$1.10

for \$1.10

1 Quart Dipper, 45c, for 30c

Chamber, 95c, for 65c

Stock Pots, 6 gal., \$2.25

for \$1.75

Pie Pans, 10 inch, 25c, for 15c

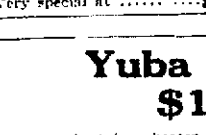
4 Quart Pudding Pan, 50c

for 35c

Crane Gas Range

\$42.50 for \$20

Constructed of highest grade steel, with oven measuring 15x15 in. It has 3 medium burners; one large and one summer burner, also full bottom shelf. This stove affords lots of room for cooking. Regular price \$42.50, to clear, \$20



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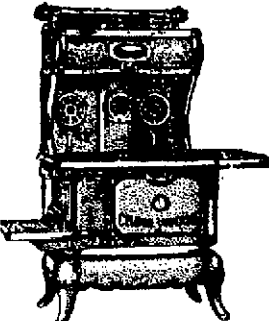
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Range

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Special No. 16, \$49, for \$37

Special No. 18, \$53, for \$40

Special No. 20, \$56, for \$43

NO 16 SZ., \$49 FOR \$37; NO. 18 SZ., \$53 FOR \$40; NO. 20 SZ., \$56 FOR \$43

Malleable Iron Universal Range

\$67 for \$50

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Small Pieces

Plates, all sizes; soup plates, oatmeal, cup and saucers, bowls, fruits; values up to 35c 10c each

Large Pieces

All size plates, cake plates, sugar bowls, creamers, covered butter, sauce boats, covered dishes, casseroles, open vegetable dishes, round and oval; values from 35c to \$2.00; now 25c each

Odd Patterns of Dinnerware To Close Out

Here you may buy one or a dozen. The pieces that compose these odd sets are of the highest grade dinnerware; daintily colored and lined and in every way perfect. Unlimited choice.

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Zenith Butcher Knife, 14-inch blade. Was \$1.50, now 75c

Christy Bread Knife, 9-inch saw blade; 30c, for 20c

Cook's Knife, French Blade—

6-inch, 40c, for 25c

8-inch, 45c, for 30c

9-inch, 50c, for 35c

10-inch, 75c, for 50c

12-inch, \$1.25, for 75c

Ham Slicer, "Our very best,"

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Bread Slicer, "Keen Kutter,"

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be observed the world over and will give a fresh impetus to this great educational branch of the church. The question has been asked, Why a special Sunday school day? There are several good and logical reasons why the world is invited to attend Sunday school on one day if people professing Christianity or belief in God never attend again. It is a demonstration day. In a sense, there are thousands attending on this day who have been critical of the Sunday school, who have said that it is not modern, that it is simply an antiquated kindergarten, teaching old and young alike without system or purpose; that there is no place for real "grown-ups;" that the man with red blood in his veins is not of place there. These critics will be surprised and confounded at what they will see and hear. They will find the work graded and systematically done with efficient teachers, many of whom have been trained for the purpose. They will find classes composed of men, business and professional men, and real workers of every type in our world, and they will leave the school believing that whether they personally attend again or not the fact remains that the church has something of real tangible value to offer in its Bible schools. Then, too, this day will bring to Sunday school hundreds who have not attended since their boyhood or girlhood days. They have gotten out of the habit of going and as was proven to be the case last year many will gladly resume that lost habit and become regular attendants again.

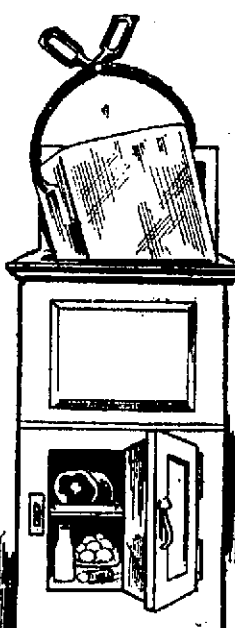
The Sunday schools of Fresno are unexcelled and have a place in them for every man, woman and child. No man or woman whether interested in the spiritual phase of church work or not can afford to miss the opportunity that is offered in these various schools of learning; in company with hundreds of other thinkers; the historical events and the great truths that are contained in that wonderful book, the Bible. Many seem to have the impression that one must be a professing Christian or believer to be welcomed at Sunday school, the fact of the matter is that no matter what the belief the Sunday schools of Fresno are wide open to all. Sope, too, have the impression that the promoters of this special day have in mind urging the attendance at certain evangelical Sunday schools. That, too, is not the case. The promoters urge you to attend the Sunday school of your own choice. You will find a welcome in all of them. Plan to have the whole family there for this one day at least.

DAN SHANNON TO HAVE BUSY DAY

The Rev. Dan Shannon spoke on the subject, "Safety First" last night in the big tent at the corner of N and Mariposa streets. He went into detail on the perils of the sinner, illustrating his talk with personal experiences.

The Rev. Ray O. Yontz, assistant pastor of the First Christian church, sang a solo.

This afternoon at 2:30 o'clock Shannon will address a meeting for men in the big tent, while Mrs. Shannon will address the women at the First Christian church. Shannon's subject will be "Wishbone or Backbone." The evening service will be conducted in the tent and the subject will be "The Great Divide."



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GIFFEN SHOWS THAT WINE ASSOCIATION SLEPT ON JOB

Associated Was Forced Into Wine Business to Protect Grape Growers From Clever Machinations of the Wine Company

With the view of giving the public full inside information on the business machinations of the California Wine Association and at the same time making clear the position the Associated Raisin Company has assumed as regards the protection of the vineyardist, Willie M. Giffen, president of the Associated, yesterday replied to a recent statement published by Louis S. Wetmore, general manager of the Wine Association, given into the business transactions and business proposals in detail and explaining fully the part each company has played in bringing about the present situation, in which each firm charges the other with bad faith. Giffen shows that the wine people forced the Associated to protect the grape growers by sleeping or lying down on the job. His communication follows:

Editor Republican.—With your kind permission I would like to make reply to Mr. Wetmore's letter published in your issue of October 16th. I do not feel that newspaper controversies generally lead anywhere but as long as I was in this case the aggressor I have no right to complain of Mr. Wetmore's reply but will promise as far as I am concerned this will end the controversy as I am willing to rest our case on the facts as presented in Mr. Wetmore's letter and the one that I am now writing.

It perhaps would have been fairer if I had published in the Sun-Mald Herald Mr. Wetmore's letter along with my own; but after a careful perusal of it by your readers, I am willing to leave it to their judgment as to whether it was not more considerate of the Wine Association in not publishing his letter than he was by publishing it.

It is surely a far cry from the San Francisco earthquake and the Pomeroy Amendment to the repudiation of the obligation of the Wine Association over this community to support the Associated Raisin Co., and a farther cry in the last paragraph of Mr. Wetmore's letter when he cries "You're another" and says that the welfare of 750,000 people dependent upon the wine industry has been placed in jeopardy because the Associated Raisin Co. manufactured into brandy 2,000 tons of dried grapes planted in the first place for raisins because the Wine Association would not pay the grower a living price for his product. Who among the wine men can tell us when before the Wine Association has left any sympathy for these 750,000 people or until this paragraph was penned when did they do one single thing to alleviate their condition.

At the outset we are willing to accept Mr. Wetmore's solution of the problem and we will agree to take care of all the raisins produced—Muscats, Sultanas and Thompson Seedless—without turning a single pound to the distillery or winery, and we only ask them in turn to agree to take care of the Feheragoses and

other varieties of wine grapes that are now dried into raisins. In fact the few raisins that we have distilled in the past falls far short in tonnage of the amount of wine grapes that has been sold by the independent packers as raisins.

The facts in reference to this controversy are these: The first year of our existence we sold the California Wine Association some five or six thousand tons of raisins. This trade was mutual. We had the raisins to sell and they wanted to buy and paid us at least a fair price. The second year of our existence we had some 2,000 tons, mostly Feheragoses which are strictly a wine grape and should never have been made into raisins had the Wine Association been willing to pay what they were worth for wine purposes, and in order to keep them from going into the raisin market we tried in vain to get the Wine Association to buy them from us. We had paid the grower 2-3 cents for them and would have been glad to have taken thirty or thirty-five dollars a ton but would get absolutely no satisfaction from the Wine Association, and as a last resort we had them made into brandy and still have that brandy on hand. Until the last thirty days we never offered the brandy for sale expecting all of the time that the Wine Association would buy it. In other words, we had absolutely no desire to enter the field as a competitor of the Wine Association.

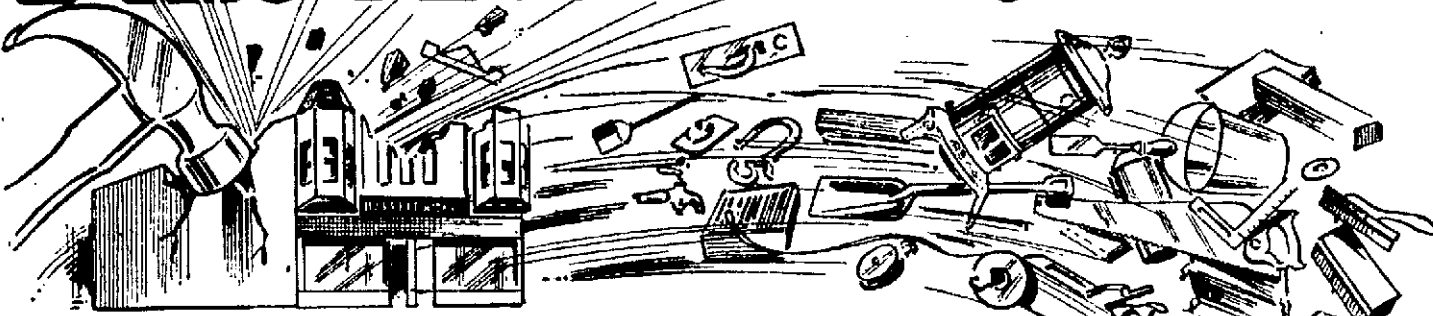
Regarding our present activity in the purchase of Malagas and Feheragoses will say that early in the summer we realized that the raisin crop was going to be enormous and that the problem before us this fall was the biggest we had ever undertaken and would tax our resources to the very utmost, and to that if on top of this load we had to carry the wine industry too it would overwhelm us. Negotiations were commenced with the Wine Association with the hope that some arrangement might be reached by which they might at least take care of the particular varieties that should be made into raisins so that if the wine industry had to go down that it would not also drag the raisin industry down with it. In the course of these negotiations Mr. Wetmore made one or two trips to Kettleburg in New York in June, and Mr. Madison made numerous trips to San Francisco with the one idea in mind to make some arrangement by which the Wine Association could handle these grapes instead of forcing us to do so.

So anxious were we to keep out of the wine business that we even proposed that we would buy the grapes from the growers at \$10.00 a ton and sell them to the Wine Association for \$10.00 a ton, waiting for one year for our money, thus relieving us of the responsibility of manufacturing and marketing this wine and brandy. But the only proposal that they made made us the one that they ever made was the one that they ever made. They would not agree to any definite price; they would not agree that a portion of the brandy or wine should be set aside in our name and they would not even give us a receipt showing that we had any interest in this wine.

Incredulous as it may seem this was actually the only proposition they made us on these wine grapes and we refused to stultify ourselves by accepting it. Then when it came to negotiating for their crop, they proposed to deliver their raisins, which were estimated at about 1,000 tons, to us on the same contract upon which other growers were delivering, but this proposal was always coupled with the proposition that we, for the sake of getting their crop, would give them an option at a very low figure on all of our brandy, said option to run until August first of next year without payment on their part. This option was at a figure that would have netted us approximately \$20.00 a ton on our raisins and \$2.00 or \$3.00 a ton on our grapes and probably would have meant to them a profit far in excess of the difference between our price to them and the price that they could get by selling to the independent packers. At least they stood absolutely no chance to lose and robbed us of all chance of gain by an advance of the market. In other words, they never did propose to deliver their raisins to the Associated Raisin Co. on the same terms as other growers, but every proposition was clouded by a cunningly devised scheme by which in the eyes of the community they would get the credit of supporting us but in reality we would have been paying them a large sum for so doing.

I submit to you that there was not a ten-year old boy in the City of Fresno without a dollar bill's pocket but could have made us as good a proposition on the brandy as the Wine Association did, and could easily have financed it because if the market went down the option would not be exercised and if it went up anybody could have taken advantage of it even without capital. In short, the dealings of the

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Remember this is only a partial list. You can only realize the tremendous list by coming to the store.

Garden Hose

25-Foot Lengths, Sells Regularly at \$2.50 \$1.95

50-Foot Length, Sells Regularly at \$5.00, ... \$3.90

This is good three-quarters inch hose of white cotton and is of excellent quality. Now is a good time to lay in a supply.

Lawn Mowers

It is a good time to buy a standard lawn mower. We are selling the best of them now at good reductions.

12-inch CLOVERLEAF \$2.75
mower, on sale at \$2.85
14-inch CLOVERLEAF \$4.00
mower, on sale at \$2.95
14-inch ball-bearing \$5.50 mower,
on sale at \$3.95
16-inch ball-bearing \$5.50 mower,
on sale at \$4.15

Quality Tools

These are all tools of highest quality, the sort of tools that give service, that are known everywhere as the best. This short list is offered merely as a suggestion of the reductions we have made.

No. 12 Disston 21-inch Hand Saws; regular Price \$2.50 \$2.05

No. 5 Bailey Jack Plane; Regularly \$2.25, ... \$1.80

Carpenter's \$1.50 Overall, Now \$1.25

\$2.25 Iron Bevel, now at \$1.80

Automatic Drill; \$1.50 Value \$1.20

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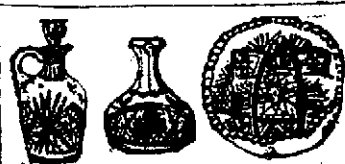
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\$3.50 Reliable Gas Heating Stove, \$2.95



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\$2.50 spoon tray, now at \$1.75
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Wine Association with us have been exactly on a par with the dealings with the whole community for years past. Every proposition that they made us was entirely one sided. There was never a fair open proposal made by them to handle our products but a continual side-stepping of the whole proposition.

When we had found that it was impossible to sell them our product we even went so far as to agree that they could be the exclusive selling agents for our brandy, accounting to us at the end of each month for the brandy sold. If they owned 500,000 gallons of brandy and we owned 250,000 gallons, they would pay us at the end of each month one third of the net proceeds of the month's sales, taking two thirds for themselves, and they refused to accept this proposition.

We readily recognize the fact that it would be better for them to sell our brandy and we were perfectly willing that the Wine Association should be that agent but were not willing to accept the childish proposal that they made. We felt that an organization that has a practical monopoly of the wine industry in this state and has grown rich in years past should be willing to take the bitter with the sweet and should stand up to the rack like men, but instead of that we find them like "dumb driven cattle" skulking behind the earthshakes in San Francisco 9 years ago.

There are probably few men who know so little about the wine business as I do and it is with apologies to the Wine Association that I make this single comment: If the Wine Association had spent one half the money and energy in educating the people to use California wines instead of foreign wines and in building up their brands, that they have spent in trying to punish the independent wine makers, the deplorable conditions of which Mr. Wetmore speaks in his letter would not be true. The trouble with the management of the Wine Association has been that it has been destructive rather than constructive, and for that reason in the end it must crumble under its own weight. Again I repeat what I have said before, that the

trouble with the wine industry is that it is organized from the wrong end.

Yours truly,
WILLIE M. GIFFEN.

CONTRACT IS LET FOR NEW STORE BUILDING

One Story Brick to Occupy Old Store Site On I Street

Alfred Kutner, representing the Kutner estate, yesterday placed the contract for the immediate construction of a one-story building on their property on I street, where fire recently destroyed the two-story building, with Higgins and Palmer. Work will be commenced on the job tomorrow and the building is to be ready for occupancy by the first of the year. The structure will be a one-story brick and will cost approximately \$15,000. The floor space will be partitioned off into three or four store rooms.

COURT LENIENCY ASKED FOR WOMAN

Otto Miller and his wife, Adeline, were found guilty of burglary in the second degree yesterday by a jury in Judge Austin's court. In the case of Mrs. Miller the jury asked the leniency of the court.

The charge against them was the larceny of grain in Madera county to the value of \$55. The trial occupied the attention of the court and jury for two days.

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PEACH GROWERS' COMMITTEE SCORES UNEXPECTED SUCCESS

More Than \$125,000 in Stock Subscribed — Workers Agree Organization Must Be Backed By All Growers—to Meet at Hanford and Madera

Delighted with their unexpected support to the proposed organization, growers in securing subscriptions agree that no one has a right to hold back more than \$125,000, one-half of the stock subscription for a purely selfish reason, as the proposed association, before legally incorporating, at this time will be devoted to the advancement of the growers' cause. It was asserted that some of the growers company were strong in their feeling that if they can get their predictions yesterday afternoon at a meeting held in the chamber of commerce building that the next few weeks will bring their campaign for funds to a very satisfactory ending. Not only will the growers be hard pressed for one of these present, but what is more, and will more than likely make that the hardest part of the organization's struggle for their existence. The work had been accomplished, and as the 1000 growers who have signed up are backing for the cause.

Will Not Be "Unsettled" It was made clear at the meeting that those growers who are lagging back with the hope of remaining out of the association to hold the privilege of selling their peaches to independent packers for prices that might be an infinitesimal per cent higher than association prices, would not be sheltered by the proposed organization. The organization is being formed up until the "would-be outsiders" are for the express purpose of aiding all such enough of present price juggling the growers, but it was agreed that all the growers must back the movement or continue to accept the present starvation prices for their fruit. These subscribers for stock who have already offered their money and moral

FARMERS' SPECIAL PASSES SANTA FE

Nineteen States Represented in Party; Spend Today in Albuquerque

"Farmers' special No. 1, with 147 passengers, from a district extending from Maine and Canada in the north to Texas and New Mexico on the south, arrived at Santa Fe, New Mexico, yesterday."

This is the substance of a message received by H. H. Gregory, general agent of the Santa Fe, yesterday from C. L. Sangre, special colonization agent. Sangre also set forth that there are nineteen states represented in the party. The message was telegraphed from Lamy, New Mexico.

The visitors will spend this afternoon at the state fair in Albuquerque and will break their journey again to visit the wonders of the Grand Canyon. Monday, and all next week will be spent in Southern California.

The arrival in Fresno is announced definitely for 2 o'clock Tuesday, October 26. Visits will be made to Fresno and environs during the remainder of that afternoon and all the next day and night.

The party is being enthusiastically received wherever stop-overs are made.

social calls on civic, union, and commercial organizations and invite their members to lend their moral support to the cause of organizing the local growers. They were unanimously adopted. The committee is anxious to have the moral support of all business and professional men as well as farmers and horticulturalists in influencing the peach growers to realize his golden opportunity for standardizing prices for his product. The committee decided to make a greater effort to get growers sign up their full acreage and to subscribe the necessary stock of twenty cents per bearing tree.

John C. Rowden, Ray Humphrey and John Fairweather were named as a committee to solicit funds to defray expenses of workers that are to be sent into all peach growing districts. Growers in some of these sections have heard of the work being done here and have invited local workers to visit their communities and explain the proposed association plans. F. H. Wilson of Dinuba visited the meeting and after hearing the various reports subscribed \$500 in stock and agreed to place all of his peaches in the hands of the association. He could other growers in his part of the country would do the same thing as soon as they learned exactly what the committee proposes to do.

Free Rooms Offered H. C. B. Gill appeared before the committee in the interest of W. B. Highland and H. H. Holland and offered the free use of suite 209 and 211 in the Holland building to the committee, inclusive of light, heat and janitor service. Gill offered personally to furnish the office with one desk, chair, typewriter stand and other necessary office furniture. The offer was accepted and the committee will occupy the new quarters in the near future. J. P. Bolton has arranged for a card index system, especially suited to organization campaigns.

A meeting will be held at Hanford next Monday night and at Madera on Tuesday night. Efforts are being made in these cities to get a large turn-out of the growers.

BEER BOTTLES AND BULLETS FLY IN FAMILY FIGHT

A. Schmidt Hits Son-in-law; Both Jailed for Assault

Men Had Been Drinking; Sought to Settle Old Score

Following a fast and furious fight with beer bottles, August Schmidt, 192 Nicholas street, inflicted a slight scalp wound on Frank Knickerbocker, his son-in-law last night at 6 o'clock as the latter was trying to make his escape from the Schmidt home. Both men are in jail, each being charged with assault with a deadly weapon.

Schmidt has an ugly gash at the base of the skull, where he stopped a flying beer bottle. According to the story obtained by the police, the two men have had trouble on previous occasions. Knickerbocker who was to have left this city today for the south, determined to settle old scores before departing. He is alleged to have entered the Schmidt home and to have threatened to kill his father-in-law and burn the house. Both men, the police say had been drinking.

Battles as Weapons. While Mrs. Schmidt and another woman tried to interfere, the two men fought about the room, using beer bottles as clubs and missiles. The room was a complete wreck, when Knickerbocker hurled a bottle with great accuracy, striking Schmidt in the back of the head, and knocking him to the floor. Seeing a chance of escape, Knickerbocker fled. In the alley at the rear of the house the father-in-law caught up with him, and struck him with a revolver. It went off and Knickerbocker thought he was shot.

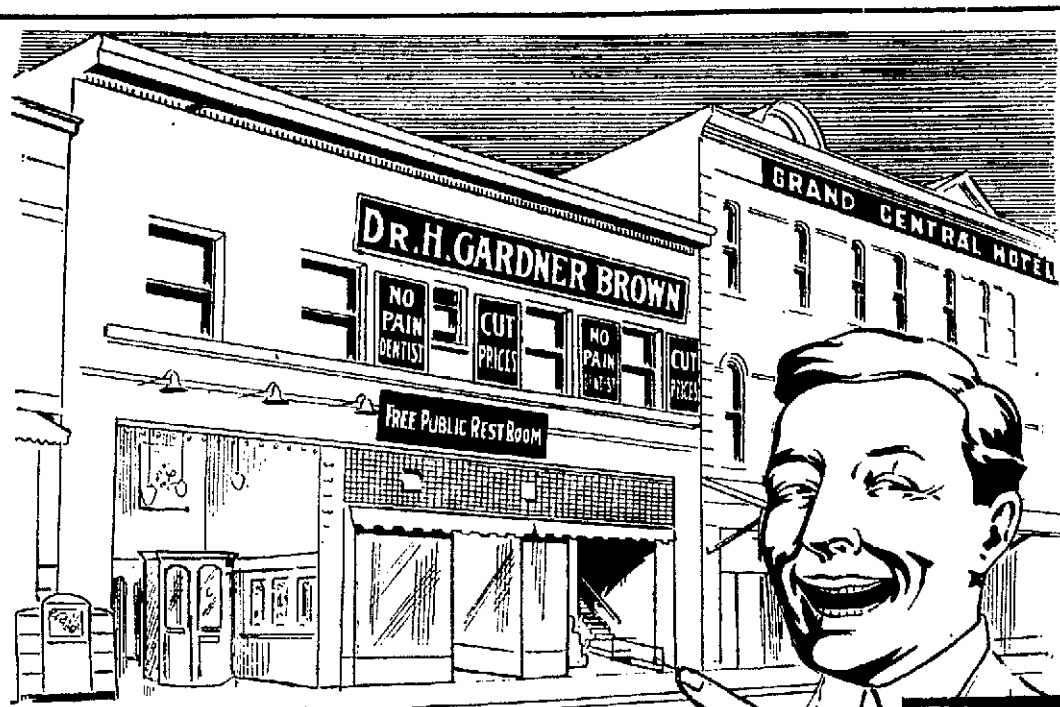
Knickerbocker ran to his home, 236 Two street, where with his wife he boarded a street car for J and Tulare streets in search of a surgeon. He made his way to the Republican office, but when he overheard a call being sent into the Emergency hospital he dashed from the building. He was caught by Patrolman Carmichael in the alley back of the Sequoia hotel. Both in Emergency.

In the meantime the police had received a call to the Schmidt home, and had brought him to the Emergency hospital. He was on the operating table when Knickerbocker was brought in. Both at first denied knowing the other, but finally confessed.

Neither of the men is dangerously injured, according to Dr. W. L. Adams.

NOTED BIOLOGIST DIES

BERLIN, Oct. 16, via London, 2:08 p. m.—The death is announced of Professor Theodor Boveri, the noted biologist, who was attached to the University of Wurzburg. He was born in 1862.



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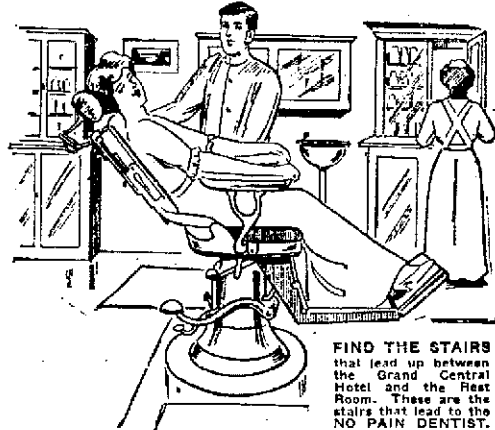
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STATEWIDE SEARCH FOR NAVAL IMPOSTER

Passed Checks for \$65 On Local Merchants; Posed As Authority

Police in all of the Pacific coast cities have been asked to aid in the search for "Lieutenant J. B. Kittredge," who passed spurious checks aggregating \$65 here last week, which were drawn on as if to appear to be signed by government officials.

"Kittredge" also posed as an authority on naval warfare and is said to have been invited to a fashionable dinner on the strength of his naval standing. Both checks were drawn for \$22.50. One was signed by "Sergeant J. C. Hunt," in charge of the U. S. M. Marines Recruiting Station, Fresno, Cal., and the other by "Lt. C. Lewis, Sergeant U. S. M. Recruiting Depot, San Francisco." The latter check was made out to Lieutenant J. B. Kittredge, U. S. M. C. The checks were passed on the Bremer South House and A. K. Spengler, jeweler.

The police have learned that the man was an imposter, through the authorities in San Francisco.

REILLY REMAINS CREMATED HERE

The remains of Joseph M. Reilly, who died in San Francisco October 10, were cremated at the Fresno Crematorium Friday afternoon.

Joseph M. Reilly was well known in this city several years ago as a pugilist. He was 30 years of age, Mrs. his body, 1707 F street, and a daughter, Dorothy Josephine, survive.

AVIATOR KILLED

BUENOS AIRES, Oct. 16.—Francisco Buitrago, while attempting to loop the loop in an aeroplane here today, fell to the ground and was killed.

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JUMPS FROM RIG; BREAKS HIS LEG

Jack Herman, a rancher living near Kernan received a fracture of the left leg last night at 6 o'clock, when he was thrown from a runaway rig a mile from this city on the State Highway.

FRESNAN INJURED IN SANTA ROSA

SANTA ROSA, Oct. 16.—J. C. Martin of Fresno received a possible skull fracture and a broken wrist this morning, when he fell from the second story window of the Occidental hotel. He is now in a hospital.

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FRATERNAL SOCIETIES

Yeoman
Raisin City Homestead No. 1040, Yeomen, held its regular Friday night meeting in W. O. W. hall. Two applications were received and approved. C. K. K. was adopted. Several are to be adopted on Friday night, October 22, and on October 23, there will be a children's festival. A program is being arranged by Miss Lita Beckitt. Lady Rowena, with Yeoman children are the performers. The sessions will be open and refreshments will be served.

Pythian Sisters
Prosperity temple, No. 87, held a very interesting and enthusiastic meeting last Monday night. The attendance was good. For the benefit of members who cannot attend the regular meetings it was decided to have an "at home" Monday evening, November 8. The temple is desirous of having every member present, so that this "home-coming" may be the most interesting affair of the term.

On Monday night, October 25, the temple will give its third annual masquerade ball. The next regular meeting will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30, at the A. O. U. W. hall, the regular place of meeting.

Order of Moose
Fresno lodge, No. 445, Loyal Order of Moose, celebrated their anniversary last Wednesday evening with an entertainment and banquet. A large attendance was present. The entertainment consisted of singing by the Moose quartet, story telling and card playing. Refreshments were served after the entertainment. The membership inaugurated on October 4 is progressing rapidly as several applica-

tions for membership were received. A class initiation will be held next Wednesday. All Moose are requested to be present.

Degree of Pochontas
Pitchess Council, No. 144, Degree of Pochontas, held the largest meeting of the season in their regular lodge parlors with Pochontas, Elizabeth Russell presiding. At the next meeting which will be Thursday, October 21, the meeting will be called promptly at 8 p. m. sharp and the entertainment committee will take charge of the evening and provide amusement for the honored guests of the evening, who were the dance committee who had the summer dances in charge. The affair will be a pre-Halloween social and promises to be very entertaining for the members, who are all urged to be present.

Modern Woodmen
Sunset Camp, No. 1195, held its regular meeting last Monday night at which plans were consummated for the meeting of Monday, October 26, in honor of Director F. R. Kornis and State Deputy H. V. Reas.

Seven applications for membership were received and accepted. At the close of the meeting those present partook of a light Irish supper.

Woodmen from the valley, as far south as Porterville, are expected to be present on October 25, and a class adoption will be held for candidates from the various camps. Arrangements are being made for special rates from some of the points on the Southern Pacific.

State Deputy H. V. Reas has consented to fill the consul's station in the adoption ceremony and the new

short ritual is to be used, after which the chairman of the board of directors of the society, F. R. Kornis, will deliver an address and the evening will be closed with an Italian supper.

Woodmen of the World
The first new members of Nantuxita Camp, No. 180, secured since the I. I. Houk membership campaign began, will be reported upon at the meeting next Tuesday night. C. L. Sherriff, the new district manager, has now been in Fresno for a week securing new members. He will be unable to be present at the next meeting however, as he is scheduled to be at the meeting of the Selma lodge Tuesday night.

The drill team will meet at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon to drill for the initiation ceremonies Tuesday night.

Fraternal Aid Union
The twenty-sixth semi-annual district convention of the Fraternal Aid Union will meet in Visalia on Tuesday of this week, and the following officers and delegates from Fresno lodge, No. 231, will attend, leaving on the 8 o'clock train. Ida Fredericks, Alice Agon, Rose Hillis, Minnie McCutchin, Christina Anderson, Minnie Knight, May Beck, Orrie Hodges, Henrietta Hutchison, F. W. Rice, E. L. Holmes and R. L. Cain, besides several members, will attend as visitors.

Knights of Pythias
Fresno lodge, No. 132, Knights of Pythias, met in regular convention last Wednesday evening. A good attendance enjoyed an interesting evening. Proposals changes to the by-laws were discussed, but no definite action taken. The sick committee reported Dr. E. C. Dunn returned from San Francisco in improved health. Brother Whitehouse was reported improving rapidly from recent injuries received in an auto accident. Brother Charles Jackson is confined to his home, but feeling a little better.

A communication was received from James G. Maguire, stating he would attend the lodge on Wednesday evening, October 27, to speak in the interest of the Pythian Castle Association of San Francisco. A cordial invitation is extended to all Knights to be present at the convention next Wednesday evening.

Fraternal Brotherhood
Raisin City Lodge No. 282, Fraternal Brotherhood met last night with a good attendance. Application for membership was received and Chas. Kerns was initiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Cava were elected musicians to furnish music for lodge work and dancing. From now on a two-piece orchestra will be present.

The lodge voted to hold a Halloween social on Halloween night, Saturday, October 30. This will be an open meeting to which the members may invite their friends. The following committee was appointed to make arrangements: Linnie Cary, Lois Robinson, Nettie Smith, Mervene Hopkins and Nannie Kopley. District Manager L. L. Hill was present and gave an interesting talk, also W. H. Carey and B. T. Winn.

Commencing Saturday, October 23, the lodge will be called at 8 o'clock sharp.

After the business meeting ice cream and cake were served, followed by cards and dancing.

Independent Foresters
Court Fresno No. 763 I. O. F. held a very interesting meeting. The day evening. Four applications for membership were presented. The monthly visit party was held and the winners were S. Jacobs, Mrs. Addie Bowen and William Mossberger. After the card playing, the members and guest adjourned to the banquet room, where a delicious refreshment were served.

The refreshment committee for October is composed of three members: M. Bilby, F. Black and W. E. Riggs. These also compose the social committee for the balance of the month and they have undertaken to provide something every meeting.

The annual election of officers will take place in the near future. The High Court meeting will be held next year in Los Angeles and delegates will also be elected for that meeting.

District Deputy W. E. Riggs reported to the members at the last meeting that his semi-annual visit to all the courts in this jurisdiction found the full campaign bringing in new members everywhere. The list of prizes for the winter campaign will be announced at the next meeting.

Knights of the Macabees
Last Wednesday night Fresno Tent No. 81 completed arrangements for the membership contest. Captain H. E. Brownson appointed A. Gunnarson as first lieutenant and C. J. G. Johnson as second lieutenant. Captain H. L. Howard appointed A. G. Duvall first lieutenant and O. H. Krommer second lieutenant. Brownson is captain of the white side and Howard is captain of the red side. Rules covering the contest were adopted and both sides are confident they will be counted winner on December 15. On next Wednesday night the degree team of this tent will conduct the initiatory ceremony.

On Wednesday, October 27, S. W. Hall, great commander of California, will officially visit this tent. A committee composed of A. G. Duvall, M. R. Brownson, H. L. Howard, A. Gunnarson and C. A. Payne was appointed to prepare a turkey dinner for the occasion. On that night there will be a class initiation conducted by the degree team of this tent. In the near future, Fresno Tent No. 81 will organize a division of the uniform rank.

Friendship Rebekahs
Friendship Rebekah Lodge No. 211 met in Odd Fellows' hall last Wednesday evening with a fairly good attendance. The committee on socials reported a card party for October 21 in the hall. There will be prizes, refreshments and a general good time. This report of the rummage sale is not complete yet. Sister Susie J. Harris, matron of the orphans' home at Gilroy, paid a visit and told the members about the children. Sister Harris stated there were fifty-seven children in the home—thirty-two boys and twenty-one girls—and all are healthy and happy. Sister Harris of Palo Alto and Brother Sydney Corneli, Tacoma, Wash., were also visitors.

Brother Lewis gave a report of the Sovereign Grand Lodge which met in San Francisco September 20 to 25. The next meeting will be October 27.

Order of Owls
Fresno Nest No. 177 Order of Owls met Tuesday in A. O. U. W. hall with a fairly good attendance. All routine business of the nest was taken care of and considerable new business taken up and either disposed of or continued for future consideration. Peter Neilson was initiated into the order and Christopher Mathiesen was duly proposed and elected to membership. A committee consisting of M. Bilby, C. E. Ness and S. C. Longwell were appointed to arrange for a social evening.

Eagle
The fall campaign for membership in the Fresno lodge, No. 231, of the Fraternal Order of Eagles will be launched with a smoker and entertainment in the W. O. W. hall tomorrow evening. Judge H. F. Briggs will give the principal address of the evening, and formally set the ball rolling in the campaign. Plans have been mapped out to make a ten per cent increase in the membership of the order. The committee in charge of the smoker follows: Brothers Williams, Beltrick and Leon Nolett. Harry G. Nolan is conducting the arrangements for the entertainment.

Daughters of Veterans
Ida Saxton McKinnier, Tent No. 48, Daughters of Veterans, will hold a regular meeting at 8 o'clock Monday evening. All members are urged to be present.

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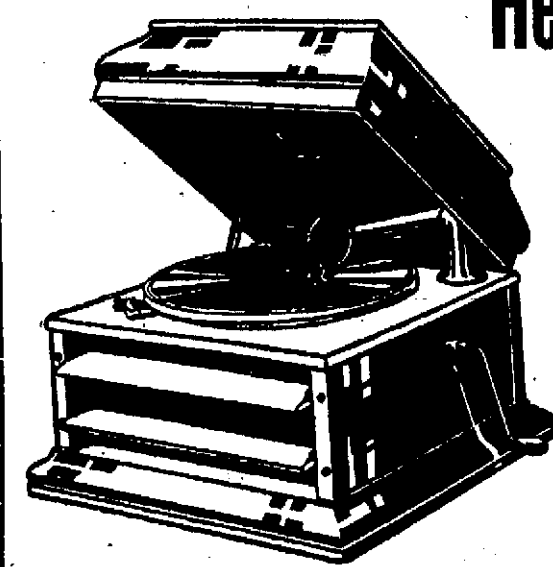


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THE STORY OF EDISON

Interesting Life of the Genius Who Gave to the World the Electric Light, the Talking Machine and Moving Pictures



Thomas A. Edison at age 37 years

SUMMARY OF EDISON'S LIFE STORY

1847—Born, Feb. 11, at Milan, Ohio.
1854—Moved to Port Huron, Mich.
1857—Started chemical laboratory in cellar of home.
1859—Newsboy on Grand Trunk train.
1862—Published "The Weekly Herald" on Grand Trunk train.
1863—Life of son of station agent at Mt. Clemens, Mich. Boy's father teaches Edison telegraphy. Built amateur telegraph line and worked in railroad station.
1863-8—Worked as telegraph operator in various cities, always studying and improving telegraph apparatus. Granted first patent for vote recording machine.
1869—Reached New York, penniless. Happened in stock ticker office just as apparatus breaks down. No one but Edison could fix it. Took position of superintendent at \$300 a month. Devices new and better stock tickers.
1870—Receiving first money, \$40,000, for ticket invention.
1871—Helps perfect a typewriter.
1872—Brought out many new inventions in telegraph. Opened Menlo Park laboratory.
1877—Invented telephone transmitter which made telephony commercially possible. Invented phonograph.
1879—Invented electric lamp. Produced entire electrical system, new machinery, instruments, etc.
1880—Experimented with first electric railway.
1891—Invented motion picture machine.
1891-1900—Produced new storage battery. Perfected concrete machinery and concrete houses.
1900-15—Made many new improvements to the talking machine and the phonograph.

The man who has astonished the world with his creative genius, who gave us such wonderful things as the electric light, the talking machine and motion pictures, was born at Milan, Ohio, February 11, 1847. It seems but a few years ago, in the hurried flight of time, when "Tom" Edison was selling newspapers on the Grand Trunk train, calling out the headlines of Civil War battles, when he was an untutored, penniless telegraph operator, traveling from city to city, always poor and sometimes hungry. Today he is the greatest living American, the foremost inventor, the hero of industry, the best known and most honored man in the world.

Samuel Edison, the father of Thomas, kept a hotel at Vienna, Canada, on Lake Erie. He married Miss Nancy Elliott, a school teacher. In 1828, Samuel Edison took part in the revolt against England, and because of this, removed to Milan, Ohio, in 1847, where Thomas Alva was born in 1847. At first, he did not go to school as soon as most boys of that day. In the meantime the family removed to Port Huron, Michigan. Samuel Edison was active in the grain and lumber business and prospered. The family was well-to-do and prominent in the society of the community.

Edison Declared a Dunce
About this time Thomas Alva started bravely out to school. For three months he stood patiently at the foot of his class, then his teachers gave him up in despair. He was sent home, and one of the instructors confided to Edison's father that the boy was a dunce. Edison never ventured inside a schoolhouse after this trying experience. His mother took up the task of the boy's education, and how well she succeeded has been evidenced in later years. In the cellar of his home Edison installed his first "laboratory," where he performed certain dubious chemical experiments and tested out the formulas encountered in his scientific reading. It was to secure money for these ex-

periments that Edison turned newsboy, and in 1859 he began selling papers on the trains of the Grand Trunk between Port Huron and Detroit. Nearly all the profits from this enterprise went to support his laboratory and chemical experiments. And very soon he had inspired in the baggage car a small laboratory where he could experiment during the leisure hours of the daily run. Because of an accident in this laboratory, which set fire to the car, Edison was thrown off the train and this ended his career as a newsboy.

Edison also established The Weekly Herald, the first newspaper ever printed on a moving train, which he ran for some time to augment his earnings from the sale of newspapers. About this time he saved from death the young son of J. U. Mackenzie, the station agent at Mount Clemens, Michigan, and in gratitude the father taught Edison telegraphy. Edison put up a small telegraph line between his home and that of a boy friend. Thus began the long years when Edison worked at telegraphy and traveled all over the country. For five years Edison drifted from place to place, working at his trade, never staying long in any one city. Some of his experiences in those roving days, as related by Edison today, are very laughable.

In 1863 Edison drifted to Boston. He was one of the best telegraphers in the business, and being possessed of an inventive and scientific turn of mind, it was not surprising that he should begin to develop new and better telegraph apparatus. In the Boston office of the Western Union began the experiments and study necessary for perfecting his duplex system of telegraphy. On the 11th day of October, 1865, he was granted his first patent for an electrical vote recorder. He tried to get Congress interested in this but failed. From Boston he went to New York. He did not have a cent with which to buy breakfast. He landed in the big city poor and in debt. An old associate loaned him a dollar. For days he haunted the telegraph offices looking for work. One day he happened in the offices of the Gold & Stock Telegraph Company just when their system broke down. For a time the various employees of the place tried to adjust the mechanism, while the day passed and Edison, with the day's pay, volunteered to help, and soon had the system in order. As a result of this, he was given a job as superintendent of the telegraph office. He was not long in making more money than he had ever received before.

Edison Sells First Invention
Soon after this Edison went into partnership with Franklin L. Pope as electrical engineers, and began to make new and improved stock tickers. In 1870 the Gold & Stock Telegraph Company made Edison an offer for his numerous improvements and inventions relating to tickers. Edison determined to ask for \$5000, but quickly dropped to \$3000, and when the time came he could not even name this sum and asked the company to make him an offer. Their first offer was for \$4000, and Edison says he came as near fainting as he ever did. They gave him a check for this amount, but he had never cashed a check before. Being deaf, he did not hear what the paying teller said about an endorsement and turned away from the window with the idea he had been cheated. When they told him to endorse the check, and sent a man along to identify him, Edison received the money, all in small bills, which quite filled his pockets. He then went to his home in Newark and sat up all night with the money for fear it might be stolen. The next day a friend showed him how to deposit the money in a bank and open a check account.

Now began the years of Edison's greatest activities, when he worked twenty hours a day, stealing naps on work benches, in corridors and wherever he could, and Edison, says he came to his first patent, up to the summer of 1910, no fewer than 1028 separate patents have been applied for in his name. The height of the activity was in 1875, when 141 patents were applied for. He perfected automatic telegraphy, made a successful typewriter, perfected a device whereby messages could be sent over the same wire, invented the phonograph and then spent several years working at the new telephone apparatus, perfecting the receiver.

Edison Becomes Interested in Electric Lamp
The idea struck me all of a sudden," said Edison when in a prominent mood. "In those days there were a few arc lamps. It was easy to see what electric lighting needed—it wanted to be subdivided. The light was too bright and too big. What we wanted was little lights, and to distribute them to people's houses, like gas."

This was the gigantic problem to which Edison addressed his energy and genius, in spite of the fact that the greatest engineers and scientists of the world had declared the task impossible. Edison's attempts were called childish and impossible. There were plenty who openly declared that Edison and his associates were trying to make money out of the public with a "wild cat" scheme.

Undaunted Perseverance
In the face of all this adverse criticism, Edison pursued the even tenor of his way, investigating and experi-



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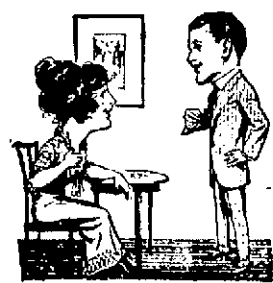
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Malaga Baptist.
There will be services at the Malaga Baptist church every night next week, beginning Monday, October 18, conducted by Rev. F. L. Blowers of Malaga. The subject of the series will be "Studies on the Book of Revelation" to all to attend these meetings.

First German Baptist.
Corner California and Poppy avenues, P. I. Reichle, pastor—Sunday worship will begin at 10 a. m. with the usual session of the Sunday school. The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., topic in morning, "Holding the Truth Prisoner." In the evening, "The Stability of the True Christian Foundation." B. Y. P. C. at 7 p. m. Good singing and selections by the choir. Midweek prayer and testimony meeting Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

Memorial Baptist.
Services at Pavia Memorial Baptist church Sunday, October 17, as follows: Sunday school 8:45 a. m. This is "Go to Sunday School Day," preaching 11 a. m. Washington Heights Sunday school 3 p. m. A large congregation will worship at the tent where the Shannon meetings are being held. All are invited. Van Dyke Todd, pastor.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.
2027 Merced street, between J and K streets—Services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday. Lesson subject, "Doctrine of Atonement." Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Testimonial meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. Reading room, No. 515 Griffith-McKenzie Building, open daily: hours from 12 to 3:30 p. m. First Christian.

N and Tuolumne streets. H. O. Breiden, pastor; H. O. Youtz, associate; John Henry Lyons, music director. 2:30 p. m.—Bible school, rally day. An attendance of 700 is expected. We ask the attendance of every member of the church especially. 10:45 a. m.—Morning worship; Dr. Breiden will deliver the sermon on the theme, "How Christ Transforms." All services are in sympathetic keeping with the course of the revival now being held by Evangelist Shannon. Dr. Breiden's sermon will be a careful study of Jesus' method in the saving of souls. If you are interested in the salvation of your soul and want to know what to do to save your soul, hear Dr. Breiden today. 2:30 p. m.—We join in the great men's meeting at the tent. 6:00 p. m.—Christian Endeavor services. 7:30 p. m.—Union revival in the big tent on the corner of Mariposa and N streets. The weekly choir practice will be discontinued until the conclusion of the revival meetings. We ask all our members to join in the campaign for soul saving. Do something for Jesus today and every day. Win men to your Savior while you can.

North Side Christian.
Corner of Sumner and Jensen avenues, Charles Laurent Real, minister. Junior Endeavor at 8:30 a. m. Communion service and sermon at 11 a. m. Intermediate Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Young People's meeting at 8:30 p. m. No evening sermon on account of the Shannon union meeting.

Bethel Danish Lutheran.
Services on Sunday at 8 p. m. at the Swedish Lutheran church on Voorman and Yosemite avenues. Y. P. S. has no meeting this week. A. P. Hansen, pastor.

Our Javours' Danish Lutheran.
J. Johansen, pastor, announces that there will be divine services in the church in Olander this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Swedish Lutheran.
Joseph E. Lonnquist, pastor. Morning services at 10:45. No services in the evening.

St. James Pro-Cathedral.
Fresno and N streets, G. R. E. MacDonald, dean. Twentieth Sunday after Trinity. Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon, 11 o'clock. Choral evensong and sermon 7:30 o'clock. The dean will preach in the Sunday school at 10 a. m. All other meetings for this week are canceled. A. P. Hansen, pastor.

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Mr. Porter (of the old Porter-Allen Engine Company) built for Edison his first high-speed engine, of 150 horsepower and 100 revolutions per minute. Edison says: "We set the machine up in the old shop, and as we had some idea of what might happen, we tied a chain round the throttle valve and ran it out through a window into the street, where we stood to work it. It ran, oh yes, it ran! Every time she turned over, she shook the framework and tried to lift the whole mill with her. Toned down to 250 revolutions, she ran satisfactorily, and everybody said, 'Why, how beautifully she runs and how practical such an engine is. Now, don't you know, I know that they would say that? Didn't you ever find out that trying to do the impossible makes about half the impossible seem easy?'"

While this work was going on in the shop, underneath and was being done in New York. "During this period," says Edison, "I used to sleep nights on piles of pipe in the station. Finally, the great day for trying out the system arrived. 'We started our engine and all was well, and we had had this resistance, other into the street, another engine, and threw them in the yard, of all the engines since Edison was born, we had the worst. One engine would stop and the other would run up to about 1000 revolutions. Then they would see-saw. When the engine began the game bolts and the top running for a couple of blocks. What was the matter? Why, it was those darn Porter governors.' By connecting all the governors together the engines were finally made to behave."

Then a heavy load was unexpectedly thrown on, Edison called up his station and inquired, 'How is it at the station?' The reply came back, 'Oh, bully! Everything is red-hot, and the ammeter has made two revolutions!'"

Lack of Instruments.
Of scientific instruments there were none. In his early work, Edison said: "We used to bump up a shingle nail—led it alongside of a feeder, and that was our heavy current ammeter. It worked all right. When the nail came close to the feeder we moved the shingle nail, and kept the needle in the station looking about right."

The First Light Plant.
While Edison was building his first electric lighting plant in New York City another and simpler plant was being completed in San Francisco. This was a small plant, the generator being driven by water power from a turbine wheel. The plant furnished current for but a few incandescent lamps, but it has the honor of being the first commercial incandescent lighting installation in the world.

Trifling Music. Prelude, Berceuse, from Jacobini, (Grandall). Postlude, Brahms' Hungarian Dance, both by Mrs. Wallace McAtfee; solos, "My Table," (Ashford), by Mr. J. A. Wiley; "Glorious," (Harrist Parkers), by Mr. Lou Peoples.

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Belmont Avenue Presbyterian.
Corner of Belmont avenue and Abby streets, Rev. Duncan Wallace, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning service at 11 o'clock, subject of sermon, "The Power of United Intercession." Junior Endeavor at 2:30 p. m. Intermediates and Seniors at 6:30 p. m. Evening service at 7:30, subject of sermon, "Welched in the Balance and Found Wanting." Special music, Anthem, by full choir, "I Am the Light of the World," solo, Mr. W. P. Lowmyer. "Oh, That Thou Wouldst Hearken Unto Me."

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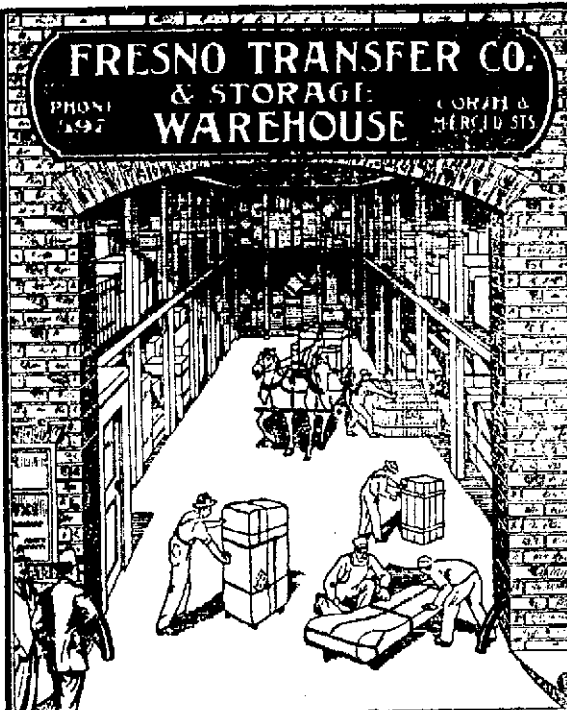
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NORMAL STUDENTS STUDY JOURNALISM



MEMBERS OF CLASS IN JOURNALISM AT FRESNO NORMAL SCHOOL.
Top Row—left to right—Ripple Mittenhall, Eva Bachant, Birdie Appling, Bessie Bryant, Buena Cobb, Muriel McHenry.
Bottom Row—left to right—Eather Marshall, Elinor Armstrong, Clyde McNew, Margaret Schilling, Vivian McHenry.

Journalism is the newest line of endeavor at the Fresno State Normal school.

With the ultimate purpose of establishing a weekly newspaper similar to the student organs of the normal schools in San Jose and Santa Barbara, a journalistic class was formally organized with a dozen students, last Monday morning. President C. L. McLane, Miss Maude Schaeffer and a representative of the Fresno Republican attended the first meeting and formulated the plans.

On account of difficulties that seemed likely with the immediate establishment of newspapers the suggestion was followed that the students

should begin the work by acting as correspondents for the Fresno Republican and Herald. Miss Schaeffer assigned the students to report on various branches of school activities and divided the class into two sections—six for the Republican and six for the Herald. Arrangements were also made to have the divisions alternate their reports to the two newspapers.

The Republican group set the ball rolling in the work of the class by securing what is known in newspaper vernacular as "the first copy" with a request on the students' activities for the Wednesday morning paper. Since then the two staffs of correspondents contributed regularly to the two news-

papers.

The journalistic work is being conducted in connection with the studies in English. While most of the articles are handed into the newspapers directly by the students, articles of a vital nature and feature articles pass through the censorship of Miss Schaeffer.

Plans are under way to establish the weekly newspaper before the end of this term or early in the spring of 1916.

Great enthusiasm is shown by the eight B class in a budding newspaper published once a month in connection with their language work. The paper is run in real newspaper style—has an editor-in-chief and two associate editors, while every one in the class holds the position of star reporter.

The paper contains an editorial, stories, items of interest, sports and jokes. The material being selected, with the aid of the student teacher in charge, from class work. Every pupil is required to contribute.

This class is attempting a poem for each issue, something not tried before. The staff officers selected this term are: Ruth Schour, editor-in-chief; Marian McKeough and Charles Hastings, associate editors.

Playing Football.
Try-outs are being held every evening after school, among the seventh and eighth grade boys, for a soccer-football team. Miss Isabelle Bowie is coaching.

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The Public is Cordially Invited

This Is the Month We Celebrate Edison Day

Thursday, October 21st, is the Thirty-sixth Anniversary of Thomas A. Edison's invention of the incandescent lamp

A big prize contest, ending on that day, has been inaugurated for all the boys and girls in the land. Are you in on it? If not, see the electrical supply dealer or merchant in your town who sells Edison Mazda Lamps. He will give you full particulars.

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Third Season of Male Chorus Opens With Bright Prospects

The Fresno Male Chorus, the leading choral organization of the city, is beginning its third year's work with the brightest of prospects. The first concert will be given early in November. The music chosen for this concert will equal if not excel that given at any previous time. Among the heavier numbers will be found some of the more popular nature. However the club prizes itself on being equal to the more difficult numbers, as will be seen by the fact that two of the numbers which were sung at the Male Chorus contest held in San Francisco, July 22, were used by them last season, and the opinion of those attending the contest was that the Fresno Male Chorus would without doubt have taken second prize had they entered it.

The club is proud of the artists that have been secured in the past and are determined to maintain the high standard at all future concerts. The general committee have not yet decided when the artist will be but have several under consideration.

President Zimmerman reports that several new faces have been added to the ranks and after rehearsal finds that the chorus is more evenly balanced than it has ever been before, thereby making

the harmony more complete and adding to the general good effect of the chorus. Some of the new voices have had wide experience in voice work as soloists and directors, and will no doubt contribute much to the success of the organization.

The chorus is extremely fortunate in having the Christian church for the season as it has been found that the acoustic properties are equal to that of any in the city and will also accommodate a large audience, such as the club expects to attract.

Reports from the last meeting show that the purchase of associate memberships is progressing nicely, and by the time the first concert is given the management feels that a sufficient number of tickets will have been sold to comfortably fill the auditorium.

While the cost of associate membership is slightly in excess of that of last year, the fact that concerts will be given by the club, and the cost per concert below that of last year, tickets are on sale at Smith Brothers drug store or by any member of the chorus. No admissions to single concerts will be sold, therefore those desiring to see the chorus must purchase membership which will entitle the holder to two seats at the concert.

JOHN VAN VLEAR, PIONEER, IS DEAD

Passes Away at Home of Daughter in Fresno After Illness Four Months

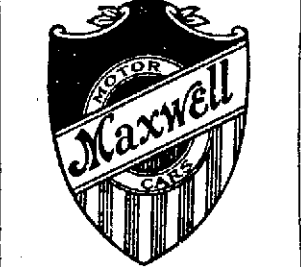
John Van Vlear, pioneer of California, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mary E. Miner, 612 Poplar street, yesterday after an illness of four months. He was born August 21, 1829, and crossed the plains in company with a number of miners in 1841, and settled near Placerville, where he lived several years and then removed to San Luis Obispo county and engaged in the cattle industry. After remaining there for several years, in which he lost his stock due to drought, he came to the San Joaquin valley and for the past ten years had made Fresno his home.

He was married to Mary Nye in 1871. She died twenty years ago. Three children were born to them, all of whom are living. They are John and William R. and Mary E. Miner, wife of C. L. Miner, all of Fresno. Two brothers also survive him, Samuel V. of Lodi and John. The funeral will be held Monday.

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Y. W. C. A. HOLDS VESPER SERVICE

Vesper services at the Young Women's Christian Association will be conducted by Miss Maude Wolf at 8 o'clock this afternoon. Miss Dorothy Briggs will have charge of the music. An interesting program has been arranged for and all women are invited to attend.

CONTINUE STOPOVER PRIVILEGES.
Stopover privileges on tickets to the east, for all points in California, will be continued until December 31, according to instructions received at the local office yesterday from Charles S. Fee, traffic manager.

Do you want a piano free? Do you want a diamond ring free? Do you want a watch free? Do you want a talking machine free? If so, see page 11.

CUMBERLAND SYNOD TO CLOSE TODAY

Elect Officers of Cumberland Missionary Council

The annual meeting of the Cumberland Presbyterian synod, which has been in session in Fresno since last week, will conclude this evening. The next meeting will be held in Los Angeles, October 12, 1916. The program for the exercises today and tonight follow:

9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
11 a. m. Preaching by Moderator Edward Johnson.

3 p. m. Sacramental service, conducted by Rev. O. D. Dooley, assisted by Rev. Henry Pascoe. Memorial service will follow immediately, conducted by Rev. O. H. Dooley.

6:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E.
7:30 p. m. Woman's Synodical Society will have their open meeting.

The public is most cordially invited to attend all these meetings.

The program for the Synodical Missionary Society of the Cumberland Presbyterian church at 7:30 o'clock this evening is as follows: Devotional exercises, conducted by Mrs. C. S. Weaver, preserver of the synod; prayer, by Rev. O. H. Dooley; address by President A. A. Biddle, "Our Work in China"; Mrs. H. B. Sifton; San Francisco mission, Tom Joiner; special song, choir; round table talk, "Are We Doing Our Best? If Not, Why Not?" by Mrs. Eva Hughes of Alameda; report of committee on resolutions; offering; prayer by Rev. H. C. Wallon.

At the missionary council of the Cumberland Presbyterian church held last night, J. W. Sims was elected president; C. H. Walton, vice president; E. W. Johnson, secretary and treasurer. Rev. H. L. Walton and S. H. Bertie joined the council. The purpose of the council is to raise funds to carry on missionary work within the bounds of the Pacific synod.

H. S. SENATE TO JOIN DEBATING LEAGUE

Arrangements Now to Be Made to Get Team for First Debate

With the decision of the Fresno High School Senate to join the Debating League of California last Friday night, arrangements are now being made to select a representative team from the society to participate in the first scheduled debate with Hanford and Lodi. In the event that the local team defeats the Valley teams, contests will be held with the strongest teams in the San Francisco bay region for state and district cups.

The school senators debated the merits of the La Follette season's bill last Friday evening. Austin ray and Phil Griffin, favoring the bill, won the debate by a vote of 9 to 2 from a team composed of Carl Edlund and John Bonler.

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\$25.00 Birka-ey Maple Dresser, cut to \$24.05
\$35.00 Golden Oak cut to \$23.00
\$30.00 Golden Oak, Maple and Fumed Oak Dresser cut to \$22.00
\$25.00 Dressers and Chiffoniers cut to \$18.25
\$25.00 Circassian Walnut Set, Bed, Dresser and Dressing Table, Extra Special cut to \$17.50
\$40.00 Oak Pieces Circassian Walnut Chiffonier cut to close out \$25.95
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\$45.00 Arts and Crafts Book Case, cut to \$28.25

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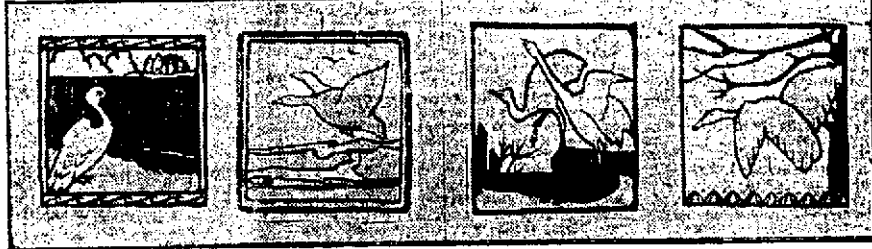
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NORMAL ART ON HIGH PLANE

Practical Course Adopted at Local School



Clay modelling class at the Normal School: Catherine Salco, Floy Fickie, Irma Tourtillot, Gertrude Belina, Zoo Vanderburg, Miss Polson, the instructor, and Ethel Long.



Designs for decorative clay tiles

The Normal Republican corps of students, who have recently formed a staff for the report of all activities concerning the school, expect to print each week an article relative to one department of their work, such as the following one on the subject of Art. This idea is being carried out to give those outside the school some conception of what is going on within, and also to make known the possibilities that are afforded here.

While this is really the basis for the development of a weekly paper to be run entirely by the school later, they expect the present readers to derive some benefit from these articles that will be published from week to week concerning general school conditions that have been carefully studied and tested under the supervision of the special teachers in these various lines.

V. I. H.

ART TRAINING IN THE NORMAL SCHOOL

The art course, one of the very practical courses taught in the Fresno Normal, at present enjoys a high rank in efficiency among the other normal schools of the state, being second to none, with the exception of the Los Angeles State Normal. The methods used are those of Arthur Dow of the Teachers' College, Columbia, an instructor of note.

Besides the regular elementary course, an advanced class has been organized with a large enrollment of students from the normal and many from the outside are taking it as special work, fitting them for art teachers. The demand for art teachers in grammar and high schools is steadily increasing as people are beginning to see the need for art in practical life. This course comprises clay work, concrete work, designing,

interior decoration, and the last addition to the list is a course in costume appreciation. The art course is closely correlated with other courses, such as the costume appreciation or costume designing. These designs are studied in the value of proportion, color, line, and in fact all the things that comprise good taste in dress, and will eventually be put to practical use by Miss Ulrich's class in advanced sewing.

Mr. Given's manual training is a close ally, with basketry, weaving, book making, mechanical drawing, wood working, furniture designing and elementary architecture. The flower pots made in the art department are turned over to Mr. Flint's agriculture class, where they are planted with ferns, palms and other pot plants, according to the size, shape and color. Many of these are now in the bath house and will be well started by the time the new building is ready to receive them. Mr. Badertscher, one of the students, has made a design for a flower pot to be done in imitation stone. The model has been successfully completed and a large number of duplicates are to be used in decoration of the inside courts and other parts of the building. Many types of walled palms are to be used. Seats, bird fountains of cement, garden tubs and articles of pottery are being made to beautify the interior.

Designs are being made by the students for furniture, cabinets, tables and chairs, which will be reproduced in the manual training class for use in the new structure, and the class in interior decoration is stenciling panels. It is the aim of Mr. McLane, the Normal School "speaker" to make this course just as practicable as possible. "Fencil ability is of great value in life work," he says. "Not only teachers, but mechanics, engineers and business men of all lines need drawing, because illustration is the briefest and most concise way of illustrating an idea."

The equipment comprises many fine enlargements by the old masters, Batchelder tiles for the clay classes, some lovely textiles and later some brasses and copper pieces will be collected.

Civic Center League to Make Year's Plans

The Central California Civic League will hold its next meeting on Saturday, October 23, at the Normal school, when plans will be made for the coming year. The work was opened with the regular semi-annual meeting held October 9, at the Normal, when plans were discussed for this fall. The league was formed in February of this year for the support of the Civic Centers in the various towns in the Valley. The widespread popularity of the movement has assured the success of the league, and an effort is to be made to have more towns included and the work broadened—thus making the schoolhouse of the almost benefit to the community as a whole.

Evening programs, consisting of lectures, moving pictures, dramatic events, social gatherings, musical and educational programs for the normal school or arranged for by the community itself.

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governmental scheme which has always been the allotment of men to be of any party, we stand independent par excellence ready to vote for the best man rather than bend the knees to an antiquated party blindness. For more than a half century we women pleaded with standpatters for the franchise. They would have held us as their chattels until the day of judgment. Non-partisanship seems in the line of the progression which has granted us suffrage and for which we women will use that suffrage in the coming crisis unless convinced of our wrong acceptance before the 26th of October, which we think is very doubtful.

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We Women

Editor Republican--We women are trying to understand the merits and the demerits of the partisan and the non-partisan issue that is to be decided by the referendum election 1. October 26. We have carefully and earnestly read all articles in the papers discussing the question that have come our way. We imbibed instruction from the vigorous speech of Governor Johnson at Convention Hall Wednesday evening, and are now impatiently awaiting the debate of the subject between Mr. Frank Short and Mr. Chester Rowell, promised for the 24th of October.

The trend of us women, beginners in politics, is towards non-partisanship, for we women are not of the politics of yesterday, we are of the politics of today. Of political machines and party fidelity we have never learned. Not long enough in the great

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Betty Nansen

One of the leading emotional actresses of the screen now is Betty Nansen, whose playing with the Fox Film company is popularizing her even more than her notable work on the stage of Europe and the United States. Fresno spectators have seen her in such plays as Tolstoy's "Resurrection" and "Anna Karenina," and in Jose Schegary's "Dispossession." In these she has shown a remarkable capacity for obtaining strong feeling without theatrical acrobatics. Her reserve power is much superior to anything that has been shown by the younger women who have attempted this work.

By the very circumstances of screen presentation, there is sure to be some comparison between Betty Nansen and Theda Bara, although they are women with very different capabilities, our judgment of which is the better actress will likely rest, among other attainments of screen drama.

Another subject of comparison with which Fresno screen fans may interest themselves is a comparison of the true output of the Famous Players and the Lasky companies. Both of these distribute through the Paramount Pictures corporation, and in other ways their work conforms to the

same standards. Both have notable players, the Famous Players company having Mary Pickford and Marguerite Clark among others, and the Lasky stars including such people as Geraldine Farrar and Blanche Sweet. But in the matter of the choice of plays, and the ability to screen, there are decided differences. Which do you prefer? And why?

Screen vs. Stage

There are many amateur discussions of the question, "Screen vs. Stage." Here are a few professional ones from the men who should know, collected by Film Fun, and these opinions are just as diverse:

"We will not employ any man or woman as a motion-picture actor who has anything to do with the stage," announces William Fox, the motion-picture manager.

"We will not allow any of our players to work for the motion-picture people while they are working for us," counters Sam Harris.

"Nothing but musical plays and film plays will be seen next season," insists William A. Brady.

"The legitimate plays will never be seriously affected by the motion picture," says E. H. Southern. "The two have separate and distinct places, and one can never injure the other."

So there you are.

Mr. Harris goes even further in his contention. He accuses the motion-picture manager of using the legitimate actors as a good thing.

"Not that I blame the actor for trying to pick up a little easy money," says this member of Cohen and Harris; "but in the future he is not going to do it at our expense."

So a line fence has gone up between the speaking and the photographic stage. It will not last long. Each has its place in the amusement world. There will always be enough people to fill the motion-picture theaters, especially in the towns that do not often have the opportunity to see good legitimate companies. The large cities are not the only ones in which there are enthusiastic motion-picture fans. Just so there will always be plenty to swell the box office receipts in the legitimate drama. As long as there is a demand for the services of stage people upon the screen, no clause will prevent them from taking screen engagements to pick up easy money.

There are thousands of people whose only chance of seeing the foremost men and women of the play world is their chance of seeing them on the film.

Instead of quarreling in print over the respective merits and future of the two, we suggest that these managers unite in giving the public more and better plays of each variety.

Picture Comedy

Ever since the work of making and presenting motion pictures has acquired any dignity, it has been recognized by the public that its weakest field was that of comedy. As motion pictures to start with were nearly all comedy, it, of course, is just as true that they were nearly all weak. When the function of the movies spread to include not only comedy, but melodrama, they were still weak, but had acquired a certain opportunity, if not a dignity. For melodrama could grow into drama, easier than low comedy could ascend into high comedy.

In the course of a few years, some really good acting, and some fairly good, even if too condensed plots, could be seen in the pictures, but still the comedy was "rotten." Even the best of it still depended upon motion, rather than upon expression—in expression, in the face, in the hand, in the foot, in the body, but to look back a little time to remember when John Bunny furnished the only enduringly funny business on the screen—when Lubin, for instance, was a type of scaly comic business, with decrepit policemen, and ragged farmers, and bewhiskered tramps and unkempt women that made you ashamed of yourself if you ventured a laugh. One of the latest survivors of this type of disreputable comedy has been the Kalem output of "Hans." It is certainly very rancid humor.

In view of all this, the development of the type of screen fun which is typified in Keystone, was indeed an advance. It to be sure, put more action into comedy that was already too much action. But it also had ideas, plot, and into the meshes of complications it began to insert the rudiments of character. Keystone went too far, it was vulgar, it was largely to blame for the censorship movement in many parts of the United States. As a result, it is reported that the National Board of Censorship said skidoo to twenty-three of Keystone's pieces of business that were too offensive for public taste.

But Keystone showed that comedy could be developed with ideas. Could the ideas be kept and the rough stuff omitted? Those who tried to do it first had the usual luck of pioneers; they could not "put it over." The Keystone type held on for much longer than it should have because the

more lady-like form of comedy was simply not comic.

The end is not yet. Keystone is undergoing still further development toward the higher life. There are a host of legitimate comedians who are beginning to make good on the screen, of whom Jack Keane is possibly one of the best. But it is safe to say that motion picture comedy will, during the next two or three years, make a greater advance than any other department of the art.

Two interesting views of the present position of comedy in screen art worth reading are given here. The first is from Film Fun:

"The comedy of the motion picture is in process of evolution. The slapstick and the roughhouse have had their day and played their brief part in the history of the films.

"The coming comedy will be of better variety and higher standards—something like the comedies of W. W. Jacobs, whose humor, both in story and screen form, abounds in comedy situations rather than in custard-pie throws, and in subtle humor of direction instead of the kick in the stomach that has hitherto been considered the keener form of comedy by many scenario writers.

"Managers of motion-picture companies are glad to greet the better class of comedy. They realize that their audiences are entitled to clean comedy instead of the slapstick farces that have been offered in the past."

The V. L. S. E. Reviewer has the following to say of the recent efforts in comedy:

"Just as the fifteen millions who attend the eighteen thousand moving picture theaters in this country every day are no longer content with the 'blood and thunder' type of drama, but demand productions which, in theme, interpretation and settings, mark the zenith of artistry, so their viewpoint on the comedy of the screen has altered.

"Born with the conception that its principal function was to depict a chase and the 'knock-down-and-drag-out' brand of humor, it has taken the comedy of the silent drama a long time to evolve from this primitive state to the level of more subtle humor.

"There have been many reasons for the slowness of the development of the one element which has done more to disparage moving pictures among people of discrimination and retard a just recognition of the present day dignity and merit of moving pictures than probably any other.

"First of all, it has been due to the lingering influence of the old 'nickelodeons,' with their patronage of a class that found its principal enjoyment in the brand of humor that is dependent upon the rough and tumble for its fun.

"Secondly, because a really funny scenario that derives its laugh-making from the cleverness of its situations, rather than from 'slapstick' action, is the most difficult to obtain. Their writers are few and far between.

"And, lastly, because most of us are just 'grown-up children,' and still retain a trace, at least, of our early fondness for the rip-roaring boisterous kind of buffoonery with a result that in the very best of theaters the more advanced pictures of this kind still have pronounced drawing qualities.

"The principal difficulty, however, is that they do not contribute to the increased prestige of moving pictures, toward which the whole industry is working.

"As a result, closer and closer has come the comedy which gets its laughs without the use of the time-worn bluster. More and more the humor of the screen has taken for its basis unusual complications or an ingenious plot."

Educational

Voices in the darkness, while the film "Over the Apennines" was showing.

"Funny people, those! Where are the Apennines?"

"O, I don't know. Somewhere in Asia."

"No, I remember something about the Greeks crossing over them to capture Rome. They must be somewhere north of Rome."

But they did know what Mary Pickford was playing on the plane.

To Use the Mojave Desert

Harold Lockwood and Miss May Allison will shortly be seen in a feature production under the direction of Thomas Ricketts of the American Film Co. directing staff. Harold Lockwood is known to the Fresno public through early work with Solis and later with the Famous Players. For instance, he played opposite Mary Pickford in "Tess of the Storm Country."

"The Buzzard's Shadow" is the name given to the story by its author, Kenneth B. Clarke. Its usual location will be obtained, as the theme of the story carries the action from the Presidio, the government's military post, to the Mojave desert. The lead, Mr. Lockwood, alone and lost on the desert, is driven mad by watching the shadows of hovering buzzards.

As an ally to a sympathy-sympathetic role, is the unwilling victim of a "human buzzard," the post doctor, played by William F. Powell. A flag waving lazily in the breeze startles the "mad" outcast into being and recalls to him his real identity. He then returns to the post and releases Miss Allison from the madhouse.

The military characters of an army post will be portrayed, permission having been obtained from the war department to use the Presidio reservation.

Dropping Money

Motion picture exhibitors and the public who are regulated at times with stories of the immense profits of film makers and the high salaries paid to the artists, may usefully be reminded that there is another side of the picture. It's not all profit. You cannot calculate with certainty how much a negative will cost; or how long it will take to make. The weather is the most uncertain factor in the matter; more uncertain than the temper of the star. Here's a case in point, selected from World Film's itinerary.

Mr. J. H. Thornby, World Film's newest director, recently took a company to Lake Placid, N. Y., for the purpose of making "The Code of the Mountains," with Mollie Keating as the star. The weather was of such an unfavorable nature that the company of twenty-two could only get in twelve hours' work out of eighteen days. And in that time only 1,000 feet of film were exposed, at an estimated cost of \$7 per foot. Advice to those about to make motion pictures: Don't unless you've well counted the cost.

Nietzsche in the Movies

Nietzsche, the German philosopher of the mid-nineteenth century, has been blamed for the war in Europe, by those who see in the war a selfish German determinism. Nietzsche now is used in a feature, a three-reel play, featuring Florence Labadie and Lorraine Stirling.

"A Disciple of Nietzsche" is from the pen of Phil Lonergan, writer of the Tanshousen scenario staff, and is said to be founded on the teachings of Nietzsche.

Nietzsche preached that the power of self must be supreme, that for the strong to aid the weak unnecessarily detracts from the strength of the powerful. It is an extremist's view of the survival of the fittest, which, it is claimed, has been the cause of the German drive for power among nations. That an individual up-

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Debate on Proposed State Non-Partisan Law

On October 9th, Judge M. K. Harris addressed a communication to the Republican, suggesting a "joint debate," in the columns of the Republican, between Chester H. Rowell, representing the Progressive party, Frank H. Short, representing the Republican party, and Henry Hawson, representing the Democratic party, in the non-partisan bills, which Mr. Rowell favors and his two opponents oppose. The conditions of the "debate," as suggested by Harris, were as follows:

RULES OF DEBATE

1. As Mr. Rowell represents the party in power in the state, he will lead off, to be followed by Mr. Short, and he by

Mr. Hawson; each gentleman to have a rejoinder in the order above named.

2. No original article shall occupy more than one and one-half columns of the newspaper, and no rejoinder shall occupy more than three-fourths of a column.

3. The first article by Mr. Rowell will be published on the day of 1915, and the other articles, in the order above named, shall appear every two days thereafter until all shall have been written.

At the conclusion of the newspaper discussion it has occurred to me that it would be of great interest to the public to have these three gentlemen meet and sum up their respec-

tive arguments at a public debate, to be held in some convenient hall in the city, but this portion of the program can be taken up later on.

Inasmuch as the three debaters suggested were already previously the most frequent contributors to the Republican's columns on the subject, it appeared that the one additional purpose to be served by presenting their contributions in the form of debate would be best met by printing the three arguments side by side. Mr. Rowell accordingly prepared his argument which was then submitted to Mr. Short and Mr. Hawson, to prepare their replies. The three arguments are printed below. Rejoinders, by the same writers, in the order named, will follow successively, at intervals of one or two days.

For Non-Partisan Bills

By Chester H. Rowell

The principal thing needed, in discussing the non-partisan referendum, is information. Once clearly understood, the proposition argues itself.

In fact, the practical proposition actually submitted is not even debatable. To be sure, there are persons who do not believe in non-partisanship and would like to vote against it. But that is not the question now before the people. By sundown's blunder, the referendum was bungled, and the question of partisanship or non-partisanship was not submitted. What did get referred was the choice between a national scheme of state non-partisanship and a national chaos of universal non-partisanship. It is non-partisanship either way; and in a much more extreme form if the non-partisan bills are defeated than if they are sustained.

This is the way of it:

The legislature passed three bills, amending (1) the registration, (2) the primary, and (3) the general election laws. The referendum has been invoked against (2) the primary, and (3) the election law, but not against (1) the registration law, which is now the law of California. These three amending laws were (because the three original laws had been) parts of an interconnected whole. The referendum against only two of them would therefore, if successful, leave the system standing on one new leg and propped up by the remnants of two old legs, with a result startling to contemplate.

For this new registration law, which is now in force unopposed, abolishes all party registration, while the old primary and election laws, which it is now sought by referendum to revive, made party registration the only possible basis of party nominations or party designations. If, therefore, this referendum should couple the new registration law with the old primary and election laws, the consequence would be that there could be no party nominations or candidates at all, even for national offices, and the only way left to run for office would be under Section 1188 by petition as an independent.

Consequently on this tangled referendum as actually submitted, there is no way to vote to preserve the party system, or to provide for party nominations. If the two laws now referred to the people are passed, we shall have party nominations for national and non-party nominations for state offices. If they are defeated, we shall have no party nominations for either state or national offices, and no primaries, but only petitions.

There might be primary election-polls opened, with blank ballots, but there would be no candidates and no persons qualified to vote.

This practical situation is like that which would result if two family factions had in the room a table and building a new one, and the old house (faction) had sat unopposed while the house was demolished, but now objected to building the new one, though the only practical alternative is to live on in the roomless cellar.

The only practical choice, then, for both partisans and non-partisans, is to vote YES on these two bills—the non-partisans because they desire state non-partisanship, and the partisans because this is the only way to preserve even national partisanship.

However, while the people can not decide the question of partisanship or non-partisanship at this election, because it has not been referred to them, they are at least discussing it, and the discussion is useful. Let us therefore discuss:

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Against Non-Partisan Bills

By Henry Hawson

The proposed non-partisan measure is destructive of the fundamental principle of government. They are particularly obnoxious because subversive of the American plan of government.

There are times when party differences are comparatively slight. But new questions are constantly arising and new systems of government in process of evolution. Political parties, or organizations of electors, are necessary to the formulation of new solutions of new problems. They are, and are intended to be, the means by which "conviction upon great public questions may be organized and bodies of men of like opinion and purpose brought together in effective and habitual co-operation."

Our system of government, state as well as national, involves political parties. When an attempt is made to destroy all parties it is well to remember that without them there can be no organized expression of public opinion.

The registration law which was not held up by referendum amended the section of the Political Code (1098) providing that the affidavit of registration shall contain, it eliminates the phraseology of the law, stating that the voter "may state the name of any political party or organization with which he intends to affiliate at the ensuing primary election." But in addition to this change, the same law amends the phraseology of the other sections and occupies eleven pages of printed statutes. The referendum invoked upon the primary and general election laws involved the printing of both in extenso. To have added these amendments would have added considerably to an already cumbersome referendum petition and this consideration alone may well have caused those who prepared the petition to omit this third measure.

The "blunder" is not nearly so detrimental to the issue as Mr. Rowell asserts. Rather than the practical situation being as he states it, the condition is much more truly comparable to that which would exist if the new-house faction of the family

and were compelled, perforce, to accept their point of view or give way. The phrase and the fiction, as it were, of the overbearing superiority of California's representation in Washington by the local state machine is ever written, it will horrify the people, even as a historic reminiscence. It is a system which benefitted nobody but the local professional politicians and it is a system whose abolition is now opposed chiefly by them and by those who used them.

Finally, in California, we abolished this system, step by step. First the cities; then the judiciary and school officers; and finally the counties became non-partisan. There is nothing left but the governor, the legislature and eight minor state offices, and at the last election the people, by climbing fight over the machinery of partisan election machinery, insisted on making these offices non-partisan, too. Most of the parties, by the votes of their members, nominated the same men for most of the offices. Party lines disappeared, and even the fiction of "party responsibility" vanished, since there was no longer any one to whom it could apply. Now it is proposed to extend the familiar non-partisan machinery to these few remaining state offices, and thereby complete the system, and give the people efficient mechanism for doing that which they have insisted on doing anyway.

If this is "destroying the party system" in California, then ninety-nine per cent of that destruction was already accomplished, much of it long ago, and all of this billaboo is raised over the fact that the last vote was one per cent. In all conscience, there are only two things to do—include the one per cent, or go back and undo the ninety-nine per cent. Which is, in fact, exactly what the opponents of non-partisanship propose to do, if they can with this vote as an opening wedge. It is so forward one step, or back a hundred.

Similarly, if this measure were an infringement of the "sacred right" of the people to organize and nominate by party, then the same principle would apply. The right was already since extinguished, and it has lapsed by disuse.

Against these bills the only arguments are that it would be expensive to run for state nomination—which, if true, would be equally true against party primaries; that it will set up a class organization for national parties—which it will not, though it may, some day, develop state parties; that it is Governor Johnson's scheme to help himself run for the Senate—which is ridiculous, since the state for the Senate he would have to run as a partisan, even under the non-partisan law; and that there is a "Johnson machine"—which accusation becomes most of the relics of the old Southern Pacific machine, who are most busy making it.

The "Johnson machine" consists of the people of California, and its only power rests in their confidence and loyalty. If Governor Johnson's advocacy of these bills inclines most people to vote for them, and if the reputation of their most conspicuous state opponent is a notorious hoodlum—then such sincere and reputable partisans as are taking part in this discussion are simply unfortunate in the company they have got into. Under the old system, at least no governor ever received a vote of confidence of the people. If he had been loyal to the people, the machine would not have nominated him, and if he was faithful to his masters they knew the people would not re-elect him, so they fought them with a new one each time.

This is an appeal against the enactment of "representative government" by its chief apostate; a resort to the referendum by its chief opponents. It is an appeal to the spirit of yesterday against the call of tomorrow. And all on a banner of referendum which would only defeat its own professed purpose, even if it succeeded.

Vote YES!

had succeeded in demolishing the very fabric of the old-house faction in California. The old-house faction destroyed, the new-house faction could easily be replaced and, just as in the illustration employed by Mr. Rowell, if the old-house faction persists, the courts will require that the structure be restored to the condition in which it was found by those bent upon its destruction.

It is inconceivable that the proponents of non-partisanship will disregard the expressed will of the people upon this vital issue. If the proposed new primary and general election laws be repealed by a majority of the voters at the special election restoration of the privilege to declare party affiliation at the time of registration will, by implication, have been demanded by that majority. Will Mr. Rowell, consistent opponent of legal and other technicalities, suggest that in this case a quibble is justified?

The numerical argument is not conclusive, nor even important. "The few remaining offices" to which it is presumed that the new system will include eleven of state-wide choice. It has already been demonstrated, according to Mr. Rowell's assertion before the judiciary committee of the Senate during last session, that the few remaining offices are unable to choose intelligently between the aspirants for Supreme court offices. Senator Chandler introduced a proposed constitutional amendment to provide for the appointment of judges by the people. The last of the argument advanced by Mr. Rowell, it was, according to those proponents of appointive judges, extremely dangerous to allow some "glad handling expert" to root a majority of the people into believing that he is qualified to fill the position of chief justice. They pointed out that, as the judiciary is non-partisan, candidates have none but a personal argument, and real merit, accompanied by modesty, is fairly handicapped.

While Governor Johnson, Lieutenant Governor Eshleman and Mayor Ralph of San Francisco are available as candidates for governor, it is to be presumed that the new system advocates believe there will be no danger that the voters will be ignorant of the overwhelming superiority of any one of these aspirants. But we are deciding this question, not for the sake of election, but for the sake of good and evil. How long will it be before our non-partisan friends will see in the state-wide nomination of candidates for governor, under a "non-partisan" system, a personal program of "glad handling" and the same tremendous evils and dangers which they say now beset our judiciary?

Still less applicable is the numerical argument to legislative offices. Non-partisanship may be unsuitable in its application to the offices to which it has already been extended. But in no plan of popular government (except the election of the president) has it ever been applied in the choice of law-makers. Personal fitness and efficiency are not the only, nor the most important qualifications of legislators. Not more ability, or superior business standing, or superior qualifications for participation in the really important function of shaping government policy. The outstanding requirement is that those affected by the laws to be made shall know the plan of government, the system of administration, the sociological or industrial welfare platform, of those who are to constitute the law-making body. Mr. Rowell and other defenders of the proposed new system concede that this is not a difficult matter. Doubtless they quite honestly shrink from the idea that we can elect congressmen without regard to political affiliations. Equally absurd would it be to elect, on a non-partisan basis, members of the state congress, the legislature.

This argument applies with equal force to candidates for governor. The executive, within the constitution, wields as legislative authority. An executive who disregards constitutional limitations and invades the legislative chamber, has undeniably great power in this regard. Nearly 800 bills adopted at the last session by both houses failed to become laws because the governor withheld his approval. It seems important, with this power of legislation in his hands, that the people, when electing a governor, shall be informed of his political, party, governmental, program.

It is, therefore, beside the question to argue that because non-partisanship has been applied to a large number of offices in which party affiliation is important, it will be equally well and logically must be extended to a smaller number of offices of a different kind, its application to which would work a vitally important, and indeed revolutionary, change.

The party system for the selection of national officers and party committees provided by the proposed laws is open to grave objection. Declaration of party affiliation at the primary election, instead of at the time of registration, opens the door to control of party nominations by others than party adherents. Imagine that Mr. Rowell should file papers as a candidate for the Progressive nomination for congressman in the Seventh district, and at the same primary come comparatively unknown and incomparably less qualified man should venture to contest for the nomination against him. Under the proposed system, Republican and Democratic, who would, of course, prefer that an unknown and poorly qualified man, rather than Mr. Rowell, should be the Progressive party candidate, by the mere request by a sufficient number of them for Progressive tickets at the primary, could defeat Mr. Rowell's nomination. In other words, a primary in which participation is possible by voters who until the moment of balloting have declared no party choice, is as likely to secure good results from the viewpoint of its members as it is to do so.

It has never been claimed by any

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Against Non-Partisan Bills

By Frank H. Short

Judge M. K. Harris, being a very discreet man, has invited the Hon. Chester H. Rowell and the Hon. Henry Hawson and myself to discuss both in writing and orally the so-called non-partisan bills. Doubtless for making this suggestion the Judge could be convicted of disturbing the peace, but inasmuch as his political influence would result in a parole, the prosecution would probably not be justified.

Our partisan-non-partisan friends have discovered, or think they have, that if the two acts of the legislature that have been held up by the referendum are defeated, the law will be found in such dreadful shape that there will be no opportunity for any partisan candidates or partisan elections at all on account of the non-repeal of the new registration law.

This point of view has been very strenuously asserted by our editorial friend and adversary and as to whether he is correct or not, I do not know. For the purposes of the argument I am inclined to assume that the editor in recent years has given so much attention to law and lawyers that he is a better lawyer than I am, which invites admission also that having given so much attention to newspapers and public discussion in recent years that I am a better newspaper man than he is.

A good many better lawyers than either the editor or myself have examined the matter and assert the opinion that the complication claimed will not follow in the event the referendum is defeated. The two legislative acts referred to are, however, correct, not admitting it, but assuming it, for the purpose of the situation, I am not able to see that we would be left in the dreadful state picture by our adversaries.

The first place they say that the effect would be to abolish all parties. As they assert that they have been engaged in the business of abolishing parties "step by step," we see no reason why they need fear that the present step should result in the last and the evil institution of political parties entirely and forever in this state.

The further suggestion, however, in answer to this argument, which amounts only to an evasion and avoidance of the real issue, is that the referendum is successful and the two measures referred to are repealed and the other measure as to registration remains unrecalled. If this presents an unworkable or unsatisfactory state of the law, it would be a matter for the governor to call an extra session of the legislature and for it to pass such election laws as would be uniform and consistent with the expressed will of the people in repealing the two non-partisan laws. It has been suggested that an extra session may be necessary in any event.

If it should be said that an extra session would be troublesome and expensive, we might rejoin, what does our governor and his supporters care to go over mountains for every trivial purpose in one direction and in their own interests and are to be dismayed by mere mole-hills in the other direction, there is no reason in the world why, if the will of the people of this state shall declare that they do not wish political parties destroyed in this state for all purposes, the laws of the state in advance of any election could not be put in perfectly workable and satisfactory condition.

And even if this was not done, we do not think the people of this state either side are going to be diverted by trivial suggestions and collateral arguments. If they believe in the destruction of all political parties for all state purposes, they will vote "Yes" on the main issue regardless of the collateral issues, and if they believe in the maintenance of the party institutions for state purposes, they will vote "No" on the main issue regardless of any more superficial considerations and arguments made in support of collateral considerations.

Upon the main question of state parties or no state parties, the question clearly resolves itself into the consideration as to whether we believe in orderly organization procedure in government or whether we believe in personal and disorganized procedure for purposes of government.

If we believe in the domination of one man regardless of any organizations of the people or in a combination of interested politicians under the leadership of one person, regardless of party considerations and affiliations, then, of course, we are in favor of the non-partisan legislation. But if we believe that efficiency and true representative government depend upon the participation of the people organized for political purposes and holding in general the same point of view upon national and local and political questions, we will, of course, vote against these non-partisan innovations.

As I said that we need parties for national purposes and upon questions of national policy and that in this connection they are good virtuous things, but we are also told that if these same good and virtuous organizations are used in their organized capacity for the purpose of the manipulation of principles and policies and the nomination of candidates for state offices, that for some unaccountable reason, what is good and holy

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Laughing, she said: "That's easy; I remove my skin. Sounds shocking, doesn't it? But listen. Instead of cosmetics I use only pure mervolized wax, procurable at any druggist's. I apply this nightly. The cold cream, washing it off morning."

This gently absorbs the soiled, weather-beaten film-skin, without pain or discomfort, thus revealing the fresh clear under-skin. Every woman has a beautiful complexion underneath, you know. Then, to ward off wrinkles, I use a raw-hair made by dissolving powdered axolotls (one ounce) in one-half pint water—has a harmless astringent which "tones" the skin wonderfully. I use it every night. I thought so. I'm now trying her plan and like it immensely.—Millicent Brown in The Story Teller.

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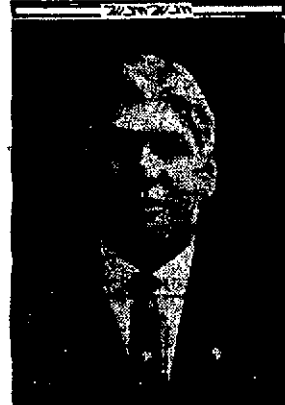
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A fine five-act master picture, a sensational wild lion picture, depicting a hand to hand struggle between the king of the forest and a man, the recent hair raising automobile races, a trip through the awe-inspiring Ausable Chasm and a couple of comedies—that's a brief outline of the stupendous ten-act program at the Kinema theater today.

When the circus came to town, the two little twin girls became circus stars. They became known as the "Flying Twins" and as such this master picture runs the gamut of a tremendous realism, a great big drama of real life under the big tent. Vivid in action, five acts of daring and thrilling work, Harry La Pearl as the leader of the circus, this play is a splendid circus picture. One can actually smell the sawdust—so real and true does it all seem. The twins are the famous Marion and Madeleine Fairbanks, Elphinstone, clown.

Stupendous Ten-Act Program At the Kinema Today and All Next Week

The many franchises held by the Kinema enables Fresno's big playhouse to present bigger and better programs as the days roll along. The piece de resistance is always a fine Paramount feature, which comprises half the program; the other half consists of comedies, a Pathé or Mutual topic news events, novelty cartoons, a short sight seeing trip and a short, punchy drama or two. In short, each program is divided into two halves—a five-act Paramount and five acts of the best picture variety that the market affords.

Today's program of events, for instance, has every possible appeal to the human heart. The wild animal drama, "The Clansman," is the most astounding of its kind. "The Clansman," which introduces in hair-raising fashion, herein are the thrills and the daring—in the master picture, the big five-act play, the heart strings are appealed to with true human sympathy. Then follows a cartoon comedy and still another hair-raising comedy. And every picture has a surprise in it—nothing trite, nothing stale, nothing ordinary about one of them.

Charlotte Walker Tomorrow and Blanche Sweet in Two Lasky Plays in One Week

Two Lasky's in One Week. Lasky, who turned the amusement world upside down by scolding Grandma Barker into his net, Lasky, who produced the "Tale of the Rancho," Puppet Crown, Secret Orchard, Warren of Virginia, Stolen Goods—Lasky, whose name perhaps stands ahead of any other producer in the United States, will present two plays at the Kinema this week. They are both Paramounts, of course, and one of them is given in conjunction with David Belasco.

Charlotte Walker, who appears in "Out of Darkness," tomorrow, will be remembered for her inspired work in "Kindling" and her splendid acting when in Fresno a couple of years ago on the stage has played her among the truly noblest of the American drama today.

The second Lasky play of the week brings Blanche Sweet and handsome Carlyle Blackwell in the "One of the Strangers," a case of dual personality of a girl who leads a regular



MARJORIE COVINGTON - LYRIC
(MOVING PICTURES)

WHITE

Richard J. Jose, beloved the world over, needs no introduction. You have heard his sweet and unusual voice either in person or in the phonograph record. As a child of 8, he was known as the boy soprano and started London and the principal provincial cities of England. He came to America at the age of 16 and from that time on he toured all over the United States and Canada. No singer in history ever gained such a hold on the hearts of everyone. For eight years he was a member of the Denman Thompson Company playing in "The Old Homestead." There was one song that dear old Denman never missed hearing—Dick Jose singing "Silver Threads Among the Gold" every performance, a chair was placed in the wings for Mr. Thompson and there he would sit and listen to Mr. Jose's rendition of his favorite song, and often the tears would roll down Mr. Thompson's cheeks, as the sweet-voiced singer rendered the song. After Mr. Jose left the company to strike out for himself as a star, Mr. Thompson would never allow the song to be sung by any other singer in his company, and he told them all that when Richard Jose left him, the song went with him and he would never consent to hear anyone sing it. Through all the world today, "Silver Threads Among the Gold" is without question the most popular song of all—forty-three years ago it first became popular and swept the country, but gradually the old song sank into oblivion. Eighteen years ago, Mr. Jose revived it and with his wonderful voice the grand old song was born again and rang through the land even stronger than ever it did when on its first wave of popularity, since that time, "Silver Threads Among the Gold" and Richard Jose have been so closely allied in the hearts of all, that it is but natural that a feature film play was produced with Mr. Jose in the leading role. It is a story that will take you back to childhood and up to the present time—a story of heart and home with touches of nature and a blending of pathos and humor that makes one feel better for having seen it—pure and moral both in theme and action.

"Silver Threads Among the Gold" will be presented at the White theater tonight, running up to Wednesday, including matinee and night performances that day. Mr. Jose appears and sings at every performance.

Orpheum

Seven entirely new features, comprising one of the finest bills of the year, will be the Orpheum's offering to the patrons of the White Theater beginning Thursday night this week and for Friday and Saturday nights with Friday and Saturday matinees.

Orpheum vaudeville performances of the Orpheum this year are unusually attractive and the bill for this week is sure to draw packed houses. A word to the wise, get your reservation in early.

At the top of the list of features come two so-called "headline" acts, these being "The Telephone Tangle," which is a delightful novelty, and "Sweetheart," a beautiful play presented by Edwin and Jane Connelly. "A Telephone Tangle," which comes first this week, is one of the delights of the vaudeville season. Its comedy appeals because practically everyone at some time or other has experienced telephone difficulties. "A Telephone Tangle" is a few minutes of the switchboard operator's busiest time. The stage setting shows "Central" at work. The piece is a novelty, but most important, it is genuinely funny. Mudge Caldwell appears as the telephone operator.



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The most carefully coached description would fail to express more perfectly the sterling qualities of Bessie Browning than do the words "Just a Girl With Individuality," as used in her billing. Miss Browning impersonates stage celebrities, her last appearance in Fresno being in "The Land of Nod," a musical comedy.

Francis De Grossart, the tiny prima donna will be heard in new and old ballads. Beaumont and Arnold were featured in "Miss Nobody From Maryland" and "A Modern Eve," Miss Beaumont an excellent dancer and Mr. Arnold has a reputation as a light comedian and song writer.

All the delightful charm that music lovers find in the melodies of the Hawaiian Islands is in evidence when the Honolulu Club a quintet of dandy lads from the South Seas, perform on instruments, and sing the songs of their native land.

The Jap has made muscular development a fine art and in feats of strength and agility is usually far excelling the white man. One of the most undervalued athletes, but his gymnastic feats are truly marvelous. His work is of the whirlwind variety and from the time he begins his performance until its conclusion the wily little Jap is in constant action, executing innumerable feats, any one of which would be the feat de resistance for many gymnasts.

There will also be new Orpheum motion pictures.

"The Clansman"

"The Clansman" will open at the White Theater next Sunday, matinee, for four days run. This production in 12 reels was directed by D. W. Griffith, the world's foremost motion picture producer. It is an adaptation from Thomas Dixon, Jr.'s popular novel of the same name and is the costliest motion picture ever produced.

"The Clansman" deals with the Civil war period. It shows the causes that led up to this conflict and carries the spectators through the war. In "The Clansman" are shown the most marvelous battle scenes that have ever been staged. The siege before Petersburg with thousands of soldiers in action, is realistically shown in the picture. The battle fields were laid out and trenches dug under the direct supervision of seven U. S. A. R. army veterans who took part in the original conflict. These veterans, two of whom were commissioned officers, remained with Mr. Griffith during the entire period that the scenes were being staged.

Artillery duels, in which explosive shells are hurled by both the Northern and Southern troops, from huge mortars, are shown in motion pictures for the first time in "The Clansman." The artillery used is the same that was used during the Civil war and borrowed from the United States government for the occasion.

The explosive blank shells used in the mortars were constructed especially for these big guns by an expert fire-works manufacturer. More than 600 of these shells are used in the

The Empire Theater on J street throws open its doors this afternoon at 1 under the new management, giving Fresno the biggest and least likely they have ever seen at such low prices. On Sundays and holidays there will be a continuous performance from 1 until 11 p. m., each entire show lasting two hours.

On the opening bill is the big five-reel silent feature "The Fish of an Emerald" featuring Mr. Robert Warwick. This is a wonderful photo drama, and displays some of Mr. Warwick's greatest work.

In addition to this there are a number of splendid vaudeville acts, that are coming to be part of the special Empire program at the Lyric today. The production is by the Balboa Company and the publication is by the Pathe Exchange, thus insuring a picture of unquestioned merit in action and photography.

"The Isolated House" is a comedy of unusual theme and capable presentation. Picturesque France in all nature's most alluring natural colors will be the scenic part of the program.

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Patrons' Views Wanted

Editor Republican: Your "Picture Drama" section of the Republican met with instant approval and promise to become one of the most popular sections of this widely read newspaper, and it is much desired by the readers of the Republican that you continue this section, as through its columns the patrons of the motion picture theaters can make known their reasons for their favorable or unfavorable criticism of some of our popular plays. I am sure that an unprejudiced criticism would be favorably received by the managers of all motion picture theaters, as it must be their desire to please their patrons, and this, under the most favorable conditions, cannot be easy. The person who views the play—let us say, an average production—and who leaves very much disgusted and makes his or her unfavorable comment on both the play and the exhibitor whose sense of propriety is lacking to allow such a picture to be shown in his theater, has done very little toward bettering the situation. I hope that none of the motion picture enthusiasts in Fresno will hesitate to exchange their views through these columns of the Republican.

Some time ago, after much discussion, a local motion picture house had

a voting contest to determine the question as to whether or not the play shown in Fresno should pass a board of censors composed of Fresno people. The result of this contest showed definitely that the people wanted nothing of the sort. Why should a half dozen people decide for you or for me what is most fitting for us to see? Having reached an age of discretion, we should be capable of choosing for ourselves. It is hardly fair to have to submit to the ideas of some one else whose taste is entirely different. True, we all admit that there are still a cheap sort of production with shoddy plots and flashy people being put out, but these are few in comparison to the number of really excellent productions, such as "Tess of the Storm Country," "Home, Sweet Home," in which twenty-four of the leading film artists were starred; or "The Birth of a Nation," and many others of like note. I have named some of the best. One young lady—prominent in Y. W. C. A. circles—regarding "Tess of the Storm Country" as totally unfit to be seen by children or ladies accompanied by gentlemen. The last that can be gotten out of this play is that it is a failure to please every one. Why, then, let us not be a little more patient with such plays as the Keystone comedies? Perhaps they are really too ridiculous and impossible to suit the more serious minded, but what about the other fellow, whose chief enjoyment at the show is watching the incomparable Charles Chaplin or Mabel Normand, whose antics tire us? Would we be willing to deprive him of this amusement because we acknowledge ourselves too impatient and selfish to tolerate it ourselves? Have we forgotten the fellow who is falling asleep while we grow enthusiastic

over the latest number of Pathé Daily News? What are the exhibitors going to do in response to this increasing demand for more satisfactory pictures? What do they think about it? They have every opportunity to make known their ideas through the columns of the "Picture Drama" section of the Republican, and their views are needed. There is no reason why the "Picture Drama" section should not attain the popularity it merits and eventually bring the exhibitors and the patrons of the motion picture theaters to a better understanding of changes might be beneficial. This would certainly mean satisfaction for the producer, the exhibitor and the patron.

MOVING PICTURE FAN

Inch Lengths

It is said that Miss Sarah Bernhardt will never act on the speaking stage again, owing to the fact that she cannot walk properly with her artificial leg. Hereafter her work will be confined to motion pictures, in which she will have her own company.

Race suicide is an unknown quantity in the Sellig Jungle-Zoo at Los Angeles. The following babies were brought by the stork during the last two months: Ten leopards, twelve lions, two tigers, one deer, two llamas and an axis-deer.

The school recently started at the Fine Arts Films studio for their young players is getting on nicely. The equipment and methods of teaching have become very attractive to the children, which makes them very eager to attend. Some of the older children have enlisted and an annex is being contemplated for them. An experienced teacher is in charge, and she reports that for her new diminutive pupils, the school is under the supervision of the Los Angeles public school authorities.

Helen Ware, playing the star part in "Cavalcade," during her childhood days, was considered a fearless swimmer, and her swimming knowledge becomes very necessary to her for scenes in Miss Ware's present starring film vehicle. In this Fine Arts Films play, a specially built yacht, on which are Miss Ware, Courtney Foote and Teddy Sampson, is wrecked while out at sea, and Miss Ware and Mr. Foote swim ashore to a lone island.

Robert Harron and Norma Talmadge now rehearsing their star parts in a Fine Arts Films dramatic screen production, will have for their supporting cast Elmer Clifton, Constance Talmadge, Thomas Jefferson, Loyola O'Connor, Wilbur Higby, Tom Wilson, Jack Bramhall, Hal Wilson and Bert Hadley.

There were 864 midshipmen who looked forward to the San Francisco Exposition for more reasons than one. Uncle Sam gave gracious permission for them to pose for a three-foot feature that was staged at Universal City. F. McGrew Willis wrote the scenario, and the scenes portrayed are not anything to the scenes that "I" not get filmed while the midshipmen were having the time of their lives at Universal City.

Seena Owen is now working opposite Orrin Johnson in "The Penitents," the Fine Arts Films-Triangle feature play. Miss Owen received laudable New York newspaper notices for her performance opposite Douglas Fairbanks in "The Lamb," which recently opened at the New York Knickerbocker theater.

Seena Owen used to be "Signa Auen," but popularized her name to make publicity easier.

The entire cavalry of Southern California under the guidance of Major Light, has been secured by Director William Christy Cabanne for the battle scenes in "The Scarlet Band." Before entering film circles, Director Cabanne was prominent in the United States army.

The much-heralded big-scaled Vitagraph feature, "The Battle Cry of Peace," opened at the Vitagraph Theater, Broadway, New York, on Thursday evening, September 9. A representative audience of fashionables, a army and navy officers and officials received the great military and patriotic picture with salvos of applause. Such first nights for a play

have never been seen. Among those who occupied the boxes and loges and lent their indubitable to the unimpaired appeal of Commodore Blackton's stupendous and gripping film was General Leonard Wood, Admiral Sigbee, Mayor Mitchell of New York City, Danies Field Malone, Senator O'Donovan, Cornelius Vanderbilt, Hudson Maxing, Admiral Marix, General John M. O'Ryan, Commander John E. Bailey, Alan Hawley, president of the Aero Club of America, David Bingham, Daniel Frohman, Lee Shubert, Howard Chandler Christy, Rex Beach, General Horatio C. King and General John G. Eddy.

A number of the exterior scenes of the Fine Arts Films drama, presenting Robert Harron and Norma Talmadge, will be photographed in Anaheim. Director Lloyd Ingraham and the present Anaheim mayor, George A. Hamler, are great friends of old, having been partners in a theatrical company known as Ingraham & Hamler, eight years ago. Mayor Hamler has placed Anaheim at the disposal of Director Ingraham, who is taking advantage of this opportunity. A majority of the story is centered around a country bank, and these scenes will be filmed in Anaheim.

George W. Lederer insists that California hasn't any edge on Long Island when it comes to climate, water, atmosphere and perspective. He proposes to build his own film city. According to Mr. Lederer, there are a thousand residents of the section where the new film city is to be built who have confidence in the plan and who have subscribed their names to a petition to the board of aldermen to so designate a 50-acre tract that is available for such a city.

This will anchor the film-making industry right down near New York, and no more long and expensive excursions to California need be taken. Hitherto 55 per cent of the films made in the United States have been produced in California.

The Vitagraph studios at Los Angeles, which are rapidly nearing completion, cover more ground and have more buildings than any other motion picture plant on the Pacific coast.

Dorothy Gish, star of "Old Heidelberg" and "Jord Is a Hard Road," is looking for a job with great anxiety to her trip to New York. She left the gay Manhattan over two years ago to come to Los Angeles, where she has played the leading female roles in approximately 180 film comedies and dramas.

Ethel Clayton, leading lady for the Lubin Studio, is in Phoenix, Arizona, where she has joined Homaine Fielding's company, in the Grand Canyon, to film "The Great Divide," by William Vaughn Moody.

Charles West, recently of the Biograph studio and now permanently employed at the Fine Arts Films studio, plays a very good part in the support of June Grey, star of "Mother of Seven."

Karl Offer, the far east correspondent of the Berliner Tageblatt and of the Deutsche Post und Eisenbahn, published at Staaken, Berlin, with a party of German friends, were recent visitors at the Fine Arts Films studio. They were shown a portion of the German film, "Old Heidelberg," and complimented the Fine Arts Films studio for the manner in which they presented the true German atmosphere. They confessed that the film made them homesick for Germany. The party particularly admired the characterization of "Kathie," which was ably played by Dorothy Gish, who is starred in "Old Heidelberg."

John Emerson's surrounding cast in "The Scarlet Band" contains the names of well-known players. Principally the list includes Bessie Love, Raymond Wells, Lucille Younger, F. J. Butler, Viola Barry, W. E. Lawrence, Carl Permes Jr., and Eric von Stroheim.

DeWolf Hopper, who is characterizing Cervantes' "Don Quixote" at the Fine Arts Films studio, is a bit worried. With him in "Don Quixote" appears a horse, by name "Rozinante," upon which "Don Quixote" must perform all of his feats of skill. The sad thing about "Rozinante" is that she must look lean and careworn and at the same time carry around a man of the proportions of Mr. Hopper, who is not, to say the least, sylph-like. This fact bothers the comic opera star considerably, for he is human enough to sympathize with the beast. Possibly he is worrying that "Rozinante" will retaliate.

Portable Light Plant
An illustration of the great mechanical development of the motion picture profession is given in the Fine Arts description of a portable lighting plant for taking pictures at night.

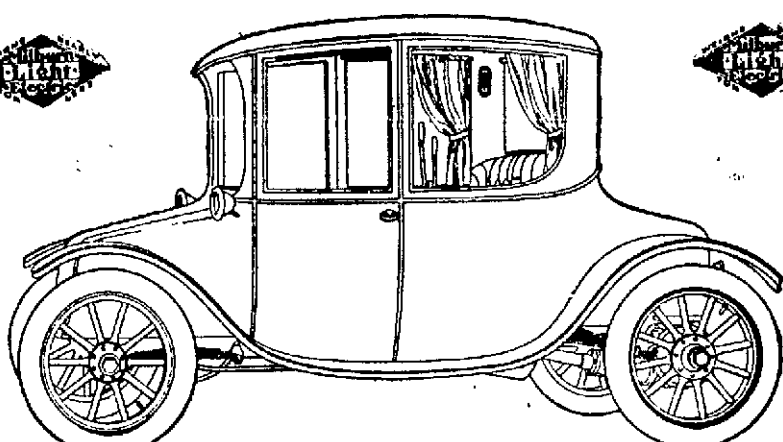
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LECTURES ON THE TEETH

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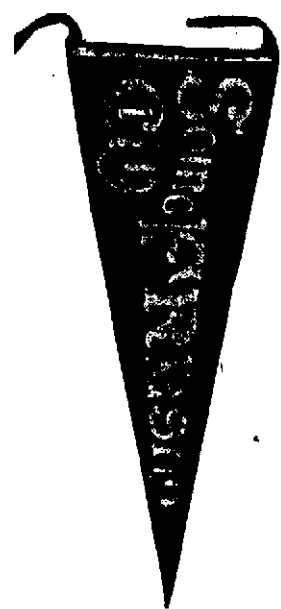
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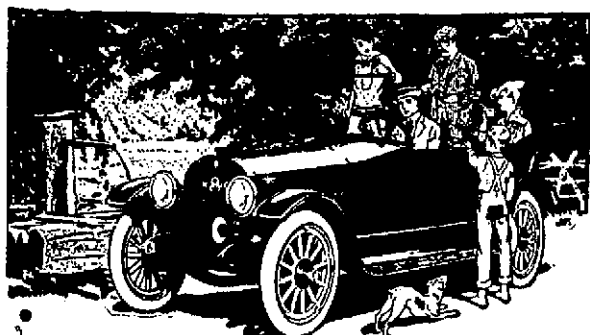
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companies to follow in the near future, as it is invaluable for field work where it is impracticable to run wires. The plant is mounted on a big automobile, making possible to take this entire lighting system anywhere that an automobile can travel, with a cable of two thousand feet, which makes it possible to get into places which have heretofore been considered impossible. The generator has a special switchboard on which the different lines or circuits can be run in places where artificial light is required for photography work. The plant is also equipped with a thirteen-inch navy searchlight, projector type, which can be used in connection with the other lights when necessary. This searchlight is mounted at the right of the driver so that it can be operated without leaving the seat of the car, either while the car is in motion or at a stand. The capacity of this searchlight is 4,500,000 candlepower, and when in operation requires 25 per cent of the capacity of the plant to operate the same.

The entire plant and automobile weighs approximately 8000 pounds. Compactness and simplicity of the plant was the principal aim in designing the unit. By the application of the auto type engine in this work, the weight is greatly reduced, which is proved by the fact that a light plant of the same capacity which can be purchased from the eastern manufacturers weighs three times as much as the above described installation.

Douglas Fairbanks

Douglas Fairbanks, among the first of legitimate stage stars engaged by D. G. Griffith, has signed a long term contract with Mr. Griffith, during which time he will be featured in a series of comedy dramas. Douglas Fairbanks is the recent star of "He Comes Up Smiling," "The New Henrietta," and "Howlthorne of the U. S. A." and, unlike the majority of legitimate stage stars, proved an immediate success in his first picture, "The Lamb."

Mr. Fairbanks has just completed his second picture, "Double Trouble," and will depart for the New York Fine Arts Film studio to do his third picture, the temporary title of which is "His Picture in the Papers." This play is to be produced by John Emerson, the well-known Frohman star and producer.

Fairbanks is the ideal type of film star, his personality, his methods of acting and general appearance being well suited for the camera.

GRANDDAUGHTER IS BRIDESMAID

Mrs. Henrietta Verfall, aged 64, of 404 Jersey avenue, and George Washington Henry, aged 55, a blacksmith, of Hurfville, N. J., were married by Mayor David M. Anderson, Harry Baker, a grandson of the bride, and his wife acted as best man and bridesmaid, respectively. Mrs. Verfall is the mother of eighteen children and has thirteen grandchildren. At the home of Mrs. George C. Gray, a daughter of the bride, a reception was tendered. A year ago Henry became acquainted with Mrs. Verfall in Philadelphia inquirer.

MOTERING PROBLEMS

I want to get a new leather face on my clutch and would like to know which side of the leather should be exposed, flesh side or hair side? Also should leather be soaked in water or neat's foot oil before applying and about how long should it soak? I have a 1910 car.

Ans.—The hair side of the leather should come in contact with the fly-wheel. The leather should be soaked in water over night before it is riveted in place. As the leather dries it will shrink into position, and then it should be turned on a lathe to remove the glazed surface and high spots. When this is done the leather should be given several applications of neat's-foot oil to soften it.

Would you advise persons wearing glasses to learn auto driving? Is there a state law prohibiting a person who wears glasses from driving a car? Would it be difficult to obtain a position as chauffeur for the reason of wearing glasses?

Ans.—As far as can be ascertained there is no law restricting the use of glasses. Sun glasses and goggles are used by many drivers to protect the eyes. There is no logical reason why any employer should object. Some persons, of course, have very defective eyes, in which case it is not advisable to attempt driving. Your own judgment should help you to decide whether it would be safe for you to operate a car.

I have noted in your paper quite often motor solutions and suggestions. I would like to know what harm can come from using light lubricating oil in cooling system during cold weather instead of dropping the water with wood alcohol? Is nothing more than deterioration of rubber tubing connecting manifold and radiator and pump tubing.

Ans.—It would not be advisable to use light lubricating oil in the cooling system. This will not prevent freezing. Oil and water do not mix. Oil in the cooling system will prevent proper circulation and cause the motor to over-heat. Wood alcohol is not expensive and will prevent freezing. It is much cleaner and harmless.

Will you kindly advise me through your valuable paper the cause of spark plugs and valves of cylinders No. 1 and No. 2 carbonizing very readily. I also find that the contacts in the breaker box burn away very frequently.

Ans.—Perhaps these two cylinders get too much oil. If there is no way of regulating the amount of oil for these two cylinders you will probably find it necessary to install new piston rings of a better type. If you have been using grease in the timing gears perhaps this grease works through into the forward compartments of the crank case. This is apt to happen if the main shaft bearing does not have a grease retaining washer between the timing gear case and the crank case. On most all lighter systems the contact points in the breaker box must be cleaned and adjusted frequently. If this trouble has developed only recently and you are using the magneto it would be advisable to have some tested by the makers. It is possible that the condenser is defective, permitting too much sparking at the breaker points.

The radiator on my car heats so that within five or ten minutes after I start out it boils over, and the water is completely lost within fifteen or twenty minutes. Have had the radiator cleaned out several times, but does no good. The cylinders cracked once some months ago when water ran out of the radiator. Prior to the cracking of the cylinders I had no trouble with radiator heating. The crank who welded cylinders claims they are all right, and mechanic who cleaned radiator says radiator is all right. No one seems to know what

to do to stop radiator heating up. Can seem all right and pump seems to work. Can you give me some suggestions as to what to do? I think that your suggestions would be of service to others who have this same trouble.

Ans.—There must be some obstruction to the flow of water. It is possible that in welding some foreign pieces of metal may have worked into the water passages. In radiators some times a piece of solder will become lodged and wedge in the water outlet, thereby obstructing the flow of water. You say that the water pump is working; therefore it should not be a difficult matter to trace the location of the obstruction. By disconnecting the hose between the top of radiator and cylinder you should be able to locate where the water is being done. With motor running, a supply should be fed into the radiator. Likewise, by uncoupling the connections at various points you should be able to locate where the obstruction lies. From what you have stated it seems quite evident there is no circulation.

The engine in my motor has given me repeated trouble. It jerks continuously at times and runs with uneven power. It seems to like no compression in each cylinder. The result is the same. On ascending grades it lacks power, and often when not hot the jerks are more pronounced than ever. Several expert mechanics have examined it, but without success. Can you help me out? My car is a new model.

Ans.—You should first determine whether each cylinder has good compression. There are three fundamental necessities—namely, compression, ignition, carburetion. If there is good compression in each cylinder then you know that there is good ignition. Perhaps the trouble lies in the distributor. If the insulation of the distributor is cracked the high tension current will not be held in control nor properly distributed to each cylinder. In an emergency when the distributor is cracked, compression in each cylinder may be adjusted too closely, permitting the valves to overlap. If the motor is of the removable head type perhaps the cylinder head gasket is blown through from one cylinder to another. If this gasket leaks slightly between cylinders you will experience trouble. Also see that there are no air leaks in the carburetor intake manifold.

I have separated the spark plug points to double the distance on the machine. I am running and I think the bigger spark gives better results. I am new in the business and a friend of mine, an old time chauffeur, tells me I am looking for trouble and will get it. What I want to know is why a bigger spark is not used, and what trouble it is likely to cause. On most all lighter systems the contact points in the breaker box must be cleaned and adjusted frequently. If this trouble has developed only recently and you are using the magneto it would be advisable to have some tested by the makers. It is possible that the condenser is defective, permitting too much sparking at the breaker points.

Will you please answer through your valuable paper the following question: Is it possible to lengthen the wheel base on a roadster which is 90 to 100 inches? The car is drawn through the torque tube. It would require the

HELPFUL HINTS

A small quantity of glycerine applied to the windshield with a piece of clean wool will help to keep the glass clean when driving in the rain. The water will not stick to the glass so easily and a clearer vision will be obtained. If too much glycerine is used the effect will be worse.

Very few people know how to adjust the spark plug points. Nine times out of ten the points are separated too far. Most every one carries with him an ordinary visiting card. The spark gap should equal the thickness of such a card.

The unequal adjustment of the brakes probably does more damage to tires than actual wear. When one wheel locks and the other turns free, it is a great amount of strain on the fabric of the tires on the locked wheel. By placing jacks under each rear wheel one can adjust the brakes of each wheel in a uniform manner.

Where gear cases or differential housings are provided with vents to permit the escape of air under pressure that results from heating, care should be taken to see that the vents are kept free. Not infrequently careless drivers cover the screen that generally is fitted to the opening, which makes it as good as no aperture at all.

Services from tires may be increased by changing the front tires to the rear and the rear tires to the front after every 1,000 miles. The rear tires work under the driving strain and wear out more rapidly. The front tires simply roll and have less work to do. By changing the rear tires forward the service from these may be increased considerably.

lengthening of two truss rods, the drive shaft and torque tube; also the frame. In any case, expert work would be done by an expert mechanic.

Ans.—If the parts are reinforced to take care of the additional strain there is no reason why the change should not be practicable.

I have a 1913 car which has been giving trouble recently after running engine two or three minutes. It will miss unless I run twenty-five miles per hour. Recently the engine was overhauled. Valves ground and carbon cleaned out, but after running about two weeks it began missing again. This engine is equipped with a magneto. New spark plugs have been installed. Engine has fair compression. If carburetor is out of adjustment, what adjustments need to be made? I have been unable to find a high tension battery. I think that this would remedy the trouble?

Ans.—Under the circumstances it is not advisable to have the magneto and coil thoroughly overhauled. The magnets may be weak, or the circuit breaker may be faulty. Quite often the trouble will be found in the coil itself. Also note whether the carburetor holds its adjustment. Sometimes the vibration of the motor will change the adjustment, especially when the locking device of the adjustment is faulty. The installation of a new magneto of the type you mention would undoubtedly eliminate the ignition trouble.

I would appreciate it very much if you would let me know through your valuable paper, of which I am a constant reader, the following: (a) Why does advancing the spark speed your engine? (b) Why does the engine slow down when retarding the spark? (c) When and how will you know when the spark is too much advanced?

Ans.—(a) When the spark is advanced the explosion takes place earlier in the cylinder. When the piston is at top center the explosive charge is at its highest point of compression. If the spark is introduced at this time the maximum force of the explosion is exerted on the piston. The spark is introduced later the compression is less and the rate of burning of the charge slower, hence less power. It takes a certain time for the charge to become fully ignited, and for this reason the spark must have an advanced position (b) When the spark is retarded the explosion takes place later in the cylinder. When the piston has reached top center, if it were not for the momentum of the fly wheel the piston would reverse.

TRAIN HITS AUTO; ONE HURT. OAKLAND, Oct. 15.—A Southern Pacific electric train struck an automobile at a crossing here today and probably fatally injured J. S. Larve, a merchant of Phoebeville. His wife also was seriously hurt.

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WAR CORRESPONDENCE

Winter in Dardanelles

LONDON.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—The hope that the forcing of the Dardanelles might be accomplished by the middle of October, when the weather and the tides are likely to become more formidable, has been often discussed wherever British officers meet. Not that there will be any diminution of effort after that time, but there is a full recognition that conditions will then become far less favorable.

An observer who has been in the Dardanelles for thirty years, making those meteorological records, while admitting that the winter is so agreeable for military achievements, describes what it is of weather may be expected and gives these general observations, in the Westminster Gazette.

Those who have relatives or friends at the Dardanelles, let them send good strong, warm stockings for the men besides the usual waist coats and mufflers, and as for creature comforts, sweets, chocolate, and tobacco are specially desirable. It is the Turks who will suffer from the cold; they cannot stand it long, and being fed generally mainly on bread, they have no stamina to meet cold weather. Most of their troops come from warm climates.

November, according to this scientist, has a cold sun or two generally in the last week, but many people call it the most glorious month of the year. The battle of Lule Bourgas was fought three years ago on the fifth, sixth and seventh of that month. It was a day of searing rain and sleet, succeeded by several nights of hard frost, which caused the death of many a wounded and neglected soldier. Another year after that was a heavy snow storm on November 13-14, after which such attacks the weather usually recovers and grows warmer.

No real winter need be looked for, he says, till the middle of January, when there are heavy snows which freeze the inner bridge of Constantinople was frozen so people walked about on the ice, and flocks were about for several weeks, this being an exceptional season. Winter is said to have finished always by the middle of April.

That this naturalist has confined his observations to land and not to sea conditions may make him more optimistic.

Things That Come With The Automobile

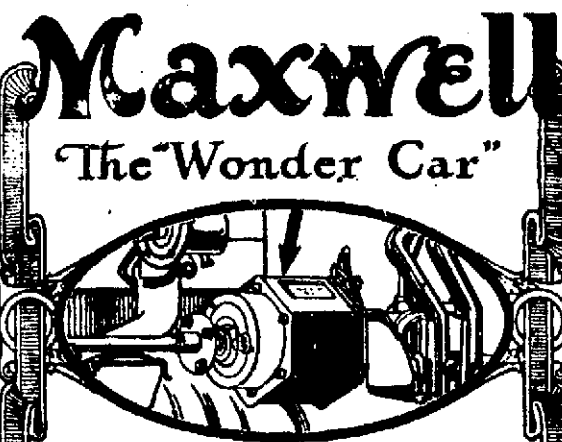
It is interesting to note what one can purchase today as contrasted with what one was able to purchase seven or eight years ago. For \$1800 one could at that time secure from a few of the pinheads of the moderate priced car, a car that was a real thing. As a matter of course, at that price it did not have high-grade metal fittings or accessories that are possible to obtain for \$800 or \$1000 today. It had no self-starter, of course; it had an induction coil, top, was minus a lighting system, and usually used battery ignition, unless extra was paid for a magneto. There was no speedometer, oil gauge or gasoline pressure system. The wheel base was about 100 inches, the tires were small, and upholstery was of leather or high grade deep cushioning, and bronze bearings and chrome nickel steel or roller bearings were not for that type of cars; the rear axle was not full floating and the front axle was not detachable. Back in 1908 no automobile even had a top on it; and a poor doctor who had rigged one of his own to shelter himself, wrote complainingly to the Horseless Age on the subject.

YEAR'S CHANGES IN AMERICAN BUSINESS

In the history of American business no chapter reads more like a fairy tale than that dealing with the events of the past year. No more rapid or complete transition from a state of dependence to one of independence, or from the "pauvre à riches" condition, has ever occurred in any country.

A year ago the United States was worried by its debts to Europe, and apparently had no means of paying. The amount was from \$2,000,000,000 to \$3,000,000,000. European creditors over here to tell us how it must be paid. The main argument was to pay in gold and pay quickly. American dollars were at a heavy discount, \$7 being required at one time to offset one foreign pound. In fact, a normal \$1.50 industries were closing. The numbers of unemployed taxed the organized efforts of all charity bodies. Savings banks were losing deposits at an alarming rate. Mortgages were being foreclosed on a scale almost unknown in the past. The stock exchanges were silent. There were several hundred thousand idle cars on the side tracks of American railroads, and a proportionate number of idle engines. Money was "tight," and the banks in New York were securing their legal reserve requirements. Gold coin and gold certificates were being hoarded. Mines were shut down. Building operations were at a standstill. Even automobile sales dropped alarmingly.

The reverse of nearly every one of these conditions obtains today. To pay our bills contracted before the war we sent \$110,000,000 gold abroad, most of it to Canada for account of the Bank of England. Not only has this amount been returned, but \$175,000,000 more. The depreciated dollars have been set on a pedestal. The merchant in China, the trader in South America, the importer out in India, and the neutral manufacturer of lace in Switzerland receive the ruble of the world's exchanges in dollars where they used to make their shingles from the fluctuations of sterling. Never until the debt of Great Britain to the United States became so large in September had bills on London sold at 140, or at a discount of about 7 1/2 per cent. Simultaneously exchange on Paris was 15 per cent below par, exchange on Berlin and Frankfurt even a little more depreciated, and Italian lire more than 20 per cent under the par value. From "American Business Transformed by the War," by Charles F. Spence, in the American Review of Reviews for October.



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News From Central California

EPWORTHIANS PLAN RALLY AT PARLIER

District Meeting Will Be Held Oct. 21; Good Program Is Prepared

PARLIER, Oct. 16.—The Southern California Conference of the Epworth League will give the following program at the Methodist church the afternoon and evening of Thursday, October 21:

2:15—Keynote of Epworth League.

2:30—"The Christian and His Amusements." Team Work for Christ.

3:00—"The League, Why Not?" Dr. John Oliver.

3:15—Recitation.

3:30—Fellowship Dinner.

4:00—The Christian and His Amusements.

4:15—Team Work for Christ.

4:30—The League, Why Not? Dr. John Oliver.

CHARGE DENTIST IS VIOLATING LAW

One Fails to Be Arrested for Practicing Without License; Has Been There 20 Years

MERCED, Oct. 16.—Charles Foreman, a dentist of Los Angeles, arrested on the charge of practicing his profession illegally, not having the required credentials, will have his preliminary hearing on next Wednesday in the justice court of Los Angeles. Foreman has been practicing his profession in that locality for more than twenty years, and though frequently he has been advised to desist, this is the first legal action to be taken against him.

BUILDING WORK BECOMES ACTIVE

LIVINGSTON, Oct. 16.—Building activity here was considerably stimulated this week with the commencement of the erection of two new two-story dwellings and several smaller buildings. Constable August Wain, who will remove here with his family from Irwin, let the contract to Wilcox & Green for the erection of a seven-room dwelling for himself to cost \$1,500. In Hunter Colony, adjoining town, J. J. Keeling is erecting a six-room house and H. J. Schmitt is building a new tank-house on his place and C. E. Harris and C. R. Davis are building new barns.

DISEASED ANIMAL CAUSES ARREST

MERCED, Oct. 16.—Ben Holsey of Los Banos, arrested on a misdemeanor charge for refusing to burn the carcass of a cow that died of anthrax, will have his preliminary hearing in the justice court at Los Banos October 21.

WILL OIL CITY STREETS

LIVINGSTON, Oct. 16.—Superintendent Frank Kelley announces that he will oil all the streets of Livingston, as well as all the roads leading out of here at once. He also plans considerable improvement on the Livingston-Newman road, but says he has the promise of the state highway commission that this will be the next road in Merced county for highway construction, therefore the improvements planned by him will not be extensive. Steps are being taken to open another street across the Southern Pacific railroad here.

RURAL RESIDENCE BURNS

CHOWCHILLA, Oct. 16.—The farm house of J. C. Atencio, whose home is three miles south of Chowchilla, was destroyed by fire last night at 11 o'clock. None of the contents were saved, as there was nobody at home. Mr. Atencio was in Fresno and his wife was in San Francisco. The loss was approximately \$300 with no insurance. This is the third fire in the Chowchilla town within a week, owing to a suspicion of incendiaries.

IS BUILDING BIG BARN

KERMAN, Oct. 16.—One of the largest dairy barns in this part of the county is being erected on the dairy ranch of Joe Diaz, who recently purchased a tract of land formerly known as the Bank of Purgus tract, located in the Empire colony. The structure will be 50x30 with 20-foot posts. Concrete floors will be laid in the cow section of the barn, while the woodwork will floor the feeding rooms. Alex Cowan is superintending the work.

CAMPMEETING TO CLOSE

MURPHYSBORO, Oct. 16.—Twenty and 300 persons have been attending the campmeeting of the Church of God of California here during the past few days, interest having increased after the first few days of the camp meeting. The camp meeting opened Friday afternoon, October 10, and will close Sunday evening. Twenty-five ministers of the church, from all over the state, have been conducting the services.

HANGED FOR MURDER

MURPHYSBORO, Oct. 16.—Joe Deberry, a negro, was hanged this morning for the murder of Mrs. J. H. Martin. A crowd of outsiders thronged the town and 2,000 persons were within the stockade to witness the execution. Three thousand more were on the streets unable to gain admittance.

TO BUILD BIG STEAMER

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16.—A contract for the construction of a steamship to cost \$750,000 has been awarded by the United States Navy to the Union Iron Works. It was announced here today. The new vessel is to fly the American flag and ply between San Francisco and Oriental ports. It is to be completed next March. The vessel will be 410 feet long, 64 feet beam and have a cargo capacity of 9,313 tons.

Do you want a piano free? Do you want a diamond ring free? Do you want a watch free? Do you want a talking machine free? If so, see page 11.

Capitalists Plan to Start Development Work at Mono Lake

LIVINGSTON, Oct. 16.—In the announcement of Contractor Frank Wilcox of this place that he will remove from Livingston to Mono Lake is included news of extensive development work at the village of Mono.

A group of San Joaquin Valley business men, including Architect A. C. Hinkley of Modesto, Frank Wilcox of Livingston, and W. F. Dector of Merced, will erect a new store, garage and tourist hotel at once. The site of the development is on the highway between Lake Tahoe and Mt. Whitney. Wilcox states that the hotel, garage and store will be but a small part of the development he and his associates will make in the spring. The company has control of a large acreage skirting Mono Lake.

TULARE RANCHER IMPROVES HERD

Secures Fine Thoroughbreds at Hanford Sale; Will Enlarge Herd to Biggest in State

TULARE, Oct. 16.—George Laughery, owner of the Tugus ranch, north of Tulare, who was one of the heaviest buyers at the recent breeders' consignment sale of purebred Holstein-Friesian cattle at Hanford, states that the ranch company is planning to make its herd of Holsteins one of the largest and finest in the state. Mr. Laughery bought 35 head of cattle at the sale, many being from the Hanford herd owned by Alex Whaley of Tulare, including Sir Holland Camp, 5-year-old bull, the champion show bull of the state, for which he paid \$700. He also bought Henrietta Colantha Plebe, from the herd of E. A. Fawcett, for which he paid \$510.

NON-PARTISANS HOLD MEETING AT TULARE

John F. Neylan and Thos. F. Griffin Address An Audience of 250

TULARE, Oct. 16.—John F. Neylan, president of the State Board of Control, and Thos. F. Griffin, president of the National Board of Control, addressed a crowd of 250 people in Tulare tonight on the non-partisan issue. After explaining the various points and workings of the measure passed by the legislature, Mr. Neylan said that the measure was not a party issue, but a question of good government, in which all the citizens were stockholders; that men should be selected to govern the state because of their ability and their qualifications alone, and not because of any party label. Griffin explained that he had always stood for the progressive measures adopted in this state under the present administration, and told the voters that it was to their best interests to uphold the measure, and not to be misled by the statements of the opponents of non-partisanship, who are seeking to discredit the measure and to tear down the government they have built up.

KINGSBURG NOTES

KINGSBURG, Oct. 16.—Kingsburg bank is to have a new Burroughs posting and bookkeeping machine. The order has been placed with the Western bank and soon will be filled. George H. Smith, a business visitor in Kingsburg yesterday.

A. T. Darak left for San Francisco, where he will spend a few weeks with friends.

George Boyle was a business visitor in Fresno yesterday.

W. A. Richter was returned from Los Angeles, where he has been spending a week.

Mrs. James Hanby motored to the foothills with friends and returned later in the day.

J. H. Stone was a business visitor in Fresno yesterday.

PASTORS TO HOLD HUGHSON MEETING

MODESTO, Oct. 16.—The Stanislaus County Ministers' Union will meet at Hughson, the guests of the First Methodist church, Monday. The program will begin at 10:30 in the morning and will be:

Devotional—Rev. F. C. Farr, Oakdale.

Address—Pastoral Visiting—Rev. A. A. Hoopes, Modesto.

Luncheon—Served by the ladies of the Methodist church at Hughson in the dining room of the church.

Address—Doctrinal or Ethical Preaching for the Times?—Rev. W. O. S. Cliffe, Fresno.

Address—Pittsburgh—Rev. F. F. Farrington.

Evening Meeting.

Address—"The Bible as Literature"—Rev. J. H. McCartney, Modesto.

Address—"The New Testament in Christianity"—Rev. E. G. Keith, Modesto.

BEGIN SHIPPING LIVINGSTON CROP

LIVINGSTON, Oct. 16.—White & Crowell today began the first heavy shipment of grain from here, when 6,000 sacks left the big warehouse, making eleven carloads. One car of rice was sent to Petaluma and ten cars of wheat to Stockton. During the past week cars of produce were shipped from here, of which there were eight cars of wine grapes, eight cars of sweet potatoes and two cars of rice. To date this season 35 cars of table grapes, 25 cars of wine grapes and 35 cars of sweet potatoes have been shipped from Livingston.

PARTISAN ADDRESSES MADE IN TWO CITIES

Cary and Short Speak at Visalia and Lemoore; Attack Governor

VISALIA, Oct. 16.—About 150 people listened to addresses here against non-partisanship by Assemblyman Cary of Reedley and Frank H. Short of Fresno at the American air-dome this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Cary, who spoke entirely to a personal attack on the administration, denied having broken with the administration on account of the contest for speakership, but claimed that attempts to force him in the Kramer contest and on the non-partisan bills were the actual reasons for his defection. He stated that the Kramer contest was decided by a packed committee, and that votes for non-partisanship were given by officers of patronage and support of appropriation measures.

Frank H. Short, the next speaker, stated that non-partisanship built down means that the national parties in California are to give an irrevocable proxy to Hiram W. Johnson to do as he pleases for them. He claimed that non-partisanship was shown by the fact that he was running for vice-president of one party while governor of California by grace of another. Mr. Short then reviewed the history of the growth of parties and said that if California voters for non-partisanship on October 26, it will be the first state in the Union to take that step. The speaker admitted that parties had produced much evil, but also said they had produced much good, and that through parties developed the best government on the face of the globe. Mr. Short devoted considerable time to sarcastic references to the governor, but frankly admitted several times in his speech that he thought the non-partisan bill would carry. He claimed that the administration officers and supporters would all be out and vote at a special election, but that the majority of the people who were opposed to the measure would not take the trouble to vote. The audience was composed almost wholly of stand-patters.

PERSONAL NOTES OF STRATHMORE

STRATHMORE, Oct. 16.—Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Coppert and daughter, Miss Florence, who are visiting here, returned from an eastern trip and also from the fair.

Miss Bertha Keene will leave Sunday for San Francisco by auto. She will accompany Mr. and Mrs. George Williams and Mr. C. C. Farnsworth of Porterville.

Charles Pfirmer and brother from Arizona are spending a few days visiting F. M. Pfirmer of El Mirado. They are on their way to the exposition.

PARLIER JOTTINGS

PARLIER, Oct. 16.—Miss Velma Quick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Quick, has been quite seriously ill. Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Quick returned from a vacation at the San Francisco exposition.

Miss Alta Cook is spending her vacation at San Francisco.

Mrs. and Mr. A. C. Johnson will attend the family reunion to be held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnson of Fresno.

Mrs. L. M. Say, Mrs. Sam Andrews, John Tremper and Chris Temper were called Monday to Lower Lake, where their mother, Mrs. L. B. Tremper, is seriously ill.

Mrs. E. E. Sutton is in Oakland, where she is visiting her daughter. She will visit the exposition before returning home.

Rev. H. S. Ryder returned home Thursday evening from the Methodist conference, which has been held at San Diego for the past two weeks. Rev. Ryder has been returned to the pastorate of the Methodist church for the coming year.

Mrs. Olla Hewitt of Sanger visited Mrs. Imman in Parlier Wednesday.

Mrs. Roy Seaman visited relatives in Hanford last week.

AWARD BRIDGE CONTRACTS

HANFORD, Oct. 16.—Today the Kings county supervisors awarded the contract to construct the concrete bridge and culverts on the unit of the Kings county highway extending from Hanford to Gurneys, to Frank Gallagher, his bid of \$7,533.33 being the lowest. A contract of \$7,500 for Class B cutting, hauling and installing steel, 1 3/4 inch and 12-inch corrugated iron pipe, 22 1/2 inch, 36 in. 24-inch 12-inch pipe line. This was also received from S. G. Smart and the Mercantile Bridge company.

PRECIAO TRIAL SET FOR DEC. 13

MADERA, Oct. 16.—Charles F. Preciado, former tax collector, will be tried for the third time for embezzlement of county funds on December 13, next, by a judge yet to be chosen. The trial was called today in the Superior Court before Judge Conley. The case was set for trial before Judge Conley of Sacramento trying the case, while the prosecution is satisfied with the Sacramento jurist. The opposing attorneys will agree upon a trial judge before the date set. At the first trial Preciado was acquitted, and a mistrial resulted in the second.

RAISE FUND FOR FIESTA

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 16.—About \$500 has been secured on subscriptions from the business men for the celebration of the fiesta to be held here November 11, in connection with the arrival of the Liberty Bell. It is believed this sum will be sufficient for all expenses. The flower show, which is the only one of the entertainments for which an admission is to be charged, is expected to contribute several hundred dollars to the celebration fund.

OPEN FIRST UNIT OF NEW HIGHWAY

HANFORD, Oct. 16.—The first 4,000 feet of the state highway lateral to connect Hanford and Visalia was uncovered and thrown open to the public today by Contractors Benson & Co. The contractors have completed two and one-fourth miles of the lateral. Work has not yet commenced on the Tulare county section.

STUDENTS ELECT DEBATING TEAM

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 16.—At the preliminary debate at the Porterville high school last evening to choose members of the regular debating team of the school, Miss Lillian Gant and John Tyler were chosen as the regular members. Miss Artie Purdie being selected substitute. The first three named members of the team are from the sophomore class. The first debate will be held November 12, when the Porterville team will discuss the question of federal inheritance tax with debaters from Kern county high school.

RANCHERS VOTE TO ORGANIZE DISTRICT

Lindsay-Strathmore Project Will Include Area of 15,000 Acres

LANDSAY, Oct. 16.—Ranchers in the proposed Lindsay-Strathmore Irrigation district voted 150 for and 10 against the formation of an irrigation district, and the result of this action will lead to the forming of a corporation capitalized at \$1,500,000 for the supplying of water to ranchers east of this city and bordering on the foothills. The district will include the largest tract of California, covering 15,000 acres. There were 137 ballots cast, 25 not voting. The board of directors chosen is as follows: No. 1, John Burr; No. 2, Charles E. Towle; No. 3, E. L. Daniel; No. 4, J. P. Bickert; No. 5, E. E. Brown. For assessor and tax collector, R. B. Gould; treasurer, McKee Hixon.

HARVESTING OF RICE BEGINS NEAR KERMAN

Fresno Farms Company Look for Yield of Fifty Sacks to Acre

KERMAN, Oct. 16.—The 80-acre rice field south of town has been drained of the irrigation water and Wednesday harvesters began cutting the grain. Threshing will take place in about two weeks, and will be looked after by E. Mitchell of Butte county, who has an interest in the crop. It is estimated that the yield will be between forty and fifty sacks to the acre. The Fresno Farms Company, owners of the land on which the rice is grown, have started the preparation of 100 acres of land to be sown to rice in the spring, in addition to rearing the present field.

PROMINENT RESIDENT OF TURLOCK PASSES

Harvey Snow Came to That Section 55 Years Ago; News Notes

TURLOCK, Oct. 16.—Harvey W. Snow, one of Turlock's oldest and best known real estate dealers, died yesterday at his home on East Main street. Deceased was native of New Hampshire and was 75 years of age. He had been a resident of California for 55 years. He was survived by his wife, Emma, and his son, Hubert, of Los Angeles. A sister, Mrs. Ella Pettus of Mill Valley; a daughter, Mrs. G. A. Brooks, of Alameda; two grandsons, Heywood Brooks of Turlock and Leland Brooks of Alameda; and one granddaughter, Miss Marjorie Brooks of Alameda. The funeral will take place tomorrow at 3 p. m. from the funeral home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brooks of Alameda. The funeral will take place tomorrow at noon from the Brethren church of this city. Rev. F. M. Brooks, officiating; interment in Turlock cemetery.

Mrs. Augusta Alberta Snuggs died yesterday at her home in Hilmar colony. She was native of Sweden and was aged 64 years. Deceased is survived by a husband, J. P. Snuggs, four sons and three daughters. The funeral will take place tomorrow at 3 p. m. from the funeral home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brooks of Alameda. The funeral will take place tomorrow at noon from the Brethren church of this city. Rev. F. M. Brooks, officiating; interment in Turlock cemetery.

August Albert Peterich of Denair died yesterday in the Stockton State hospital. He was a native of Germany and was aged 44 years. The funeral will take place tomorrow at 10 a. m. from the funeral home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brooks of Alameda. The funeral will take place tomorrow at noon from the Brethren church of this city. Rev. F. M. Brooks, officiating; interment in Turlock cemetery.

Mrs. and Mr. Carl Phillips are spending a few days with relatives in Sacramento.

Work of moving the Methodist parsonage was begun yesterday. The building will be moved to the rear of the church and remodeled for Sunday school purposes.

The Turlock Relief Association will hold another meeting Monday evening at the Methodist church to determine what shall be done during the coming winter in aiding local cases of distress and also in meeting the conditions caused by unemployed transients. Last winter a free soup kitchen was maintained and resulted in the elimination of begging on the streets and in houses, and also lessened the number of petty thefts. At Monday evening's meeting, in case it is decided to continue the work that was done last winter, new officers will be elected and new committees appointed. The present officers are E. B. Osborn, president; Mrs. Mollie Brown Flagg, secretary; and Mrs. C. E. Brown treasurer.

T. J. Broidrick and family are visiting here on their way to San Francisco. Howard Whipple, president of the Commercial Bank of Turlock, who was married in Milwaukee September 11, to Miss Eugene Mink, has returned to this city with his bride, and the couple are comfortably located in their handsome new home at the corner of Palm and East Olive streets.

RURAL ROUTES TO BE CONSOLIDATED

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 16.—Orders were received here this morning from Washington that, effective December 1, there will be a consolidation of the mail routes leading out of Porterville. Routes 1 and 2 will be made into Route A and routes three and four will be hereafter known as Route B. Each will be about 50 miles in length. The patrons will be served by automobile. The change carries a salary increase from \$1200 per year to \$1800 per year. It was stated in the order that there will be sent from Washington a list of eligibles for which carriers will be chosen. This list was prepared as the result of examinations recently held in all portions of Tulare county.

MAIL CARRIER IS INJURED

MARICOPA, Oct. 16.—Albert C. Tanner, mail carrier between Maricopa and Ozena, was seriously hurt on Thursday evening when returning to his home in Maricopa.

DISCOVER BODY OF DEAD BABY

MERCED, Oct. 16.—The body of an unidentified baby was discovered under an outhouse of a front street restaurant this morning. Decomposition had set in so far advanced that it was impossible to determine accurately how long the body had been there, or how old was the infant at the time of death. It is believed by the authorities that the child was a few hours old, and that it has been dead for more than a month. There was no clothing on the body. No clue as to the parentage of the child has been discovered.

IRRIGATIONISTS NAME EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Meet in Madera and Elect Five of Seven Members; News Brevities

MADERA, Oct. 16.—The Irrigation Bureau held a meeting in the council chambers this afternoon, with J. G. Roberts in the chair and selected five of the seven members required for the executive committee. The five chosen are J. G. Roberts, W. S. Orville, E. M. Hixon, C. L. Hixon, and J. A. Secum. The other two will be chosen respectively from the Chowchilla and Easton districts.

The by-laws committee presented its report which was accepted after a few minor changes had been made. The by-laws provide that the directors are to meet on the third Saturday of each month at 8 p. m. A fee of \$1 is to be received from all members. The number of directors is forty, and all interested in irrigation are eligible to belong to the bureau.

William E. Wolfe, former manager of the Madera ranch west of town, died at Scranton, Pa., a few days ago. He was 55 years old, and was connected with the Jersey Central Railway.

George Tolliday and Miss Selma Jacobson, a former Madera telephone operator, were married in Fresno yesterday. They will make their home in Madera.

WOMAN IS LOST IN TULARE WOODS

Loose Bearings On Way to Springfield and Back to Power Camp; Horses Wander Away; News Notes

SPRINGVILLE, Oct. 16.—Mrs. R. O. Barnes, who left Lookout Station, above Camp Nelson, about 8 o'clock in the afternoon to come down to Springfield last week, had quite a thrilling adventure. In trying to take a cut-off, she became lost and night very wild and stormy. Both her horse and her pack horse got down in a thicket from which she was unable to get them out, so she tied them up and started alone. Twice she crossed the tule river on logs, finally arriving at Camp Wilson about 11 o'clock. She phoned to her husband and he came to her. Her horses could not find them, so she returned and on the third day they located them in a gulch with sides so steep they had slid down there the night before. Mrs. Brown was lost. The horses had plenty of water and some grass, so had not suffered. Mrs. Barnes said she was not afraid.

Herbert Galleher left Tuesday for Chicago, where he will continue his school work.

A. M. Coburn was one of a crowd of three Lindsay men who passed through Springfield Saturday on their way to the fair. They will finish out the deer season.

George Roup and Horace O'Rear of San Francisco passed through Camp Nelson Thursday on their way back from a trip to Mt. Whitney and through Kern canon.

OLD TIMERS ENJOY QUAIL BARBECUE FRIDAY IN CUYAMA VALLEY

MARICOPA, Oct. 16.—Maricopa's old timers' reunion and the annual quail barbecue which has been a feature of the opening of the quail season for a number of years, was held on Friday evening in the Cuyama valley when a large number of local men with many former residents of this city who had returned for the big event on Thursday, finished the opening shoot. The visitors and many local people went to the mountains on Thursday evening and spent the night in the open so as to be ready for the early morning shoot. On Friday morning fully fifty hunters started out to fill the bag for the big muligan stew which was to be served in the evening.

Frederic Mayer, Jr., of Gardnerville, who journeyed from his home in Ocean Park to act as cook for the muligan, took charge of the banquet, and with his assistants succeeded in making the muligan up to standard. The muligan was served in the evening and later a big camp fire was built and the gathering spent the most enjoyable evening of the season. The old timers tell of the early history of the Sunset district. The entertainment was rounded out by several recitations and songs by the more talented members of the party.

Among those to return to take in the big muligan were Parker Barrett and James Rogers of Bakersfield, former Mayor Clyde Garfield of Ocean Park, Balmy Sawyer of Taft and others now living in other west side towns and in Bakersfield.

Mrs. Milton J. Francis of Port Arthur, Canada, and Miss Gladys Porter of Los Angeles are visiting with Mrs. Francis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Cameron of Globe. Mr. Francis is a major in the Canadian army and is at Sewall Camp now training reinforcements for the second contingent which is going to the firing line.

Mrs. C. H. Duncan has returned home after spending the summer near Exeter with her son, Melvin Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Bailey, who have spent a few days with their family here, are attending the San Diego and San Francisco exhibitions, returned to Taft Friday.

Mrs. J. B. Spees and young nephew were in Porterville the latter part of the week.

Maudie Fink, who is attending high school at Porterville, spent the week-end with her parents.

Rev. S. J. Lindsay, pastor of the Methodist church during the past year, left for his new charge at Atwater Thursday. He and his three daughters went by machine. Mrs. Lindsay is staying in Porterville for a short time, visiting with Mrs. Chas. Parli.

BRIEF COALINGA NEWS HAPPENINGS

COALINGA, Oct. 16.—Late reports from the bedside of Mr. Buckley at the Bennett Sanatorium in Fresno are encouraging. In addition to the shock from which he has been suffering since his auto accident near Helim Tuesday morning, pleuro-pneumonia has appeared as a complication and the condition of the patient is not so favorable.

Miss Charlotte Roberts is spending two weeks with Mrs. A. F. May at Santa Cruz.

G. F. Patterson, who has been at the exposition for the past two weeks, has returned to the pleasant Valley hotel. J. J. Shoo returned Friday from a vacation spent with his family in Oakland.

RURAL ROUTES TO BE CONSOLIDATED

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 16.—Orders were received here this morning from Washington that, effective December 1, there will be a consolidation of the mail routes leading out of Porterville. Routes 1 and 2 will be made into Route A and routes three and four will be hereafter known as Route B. Each will be about 50 miles in length. The patrons will be served by automobile. The change carries a salary increase from \$1200 per year to \$1800 per year. It was stated in the order that there will be sent from Washington a list of eligibles for which carriers will be chosen. This list was prepared as the result of examinations recently held in all portions of Tulare county.

STUDENTS ELECT DEBATING TEAM

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 16.—At the preliminary debate at the Porterville high school last evening to choose members of the regular debating team of the school, Miss Lillian Gant and John Tyler were chosen as the regular members. Miss Artie Purdie being selected substitute. The first three named members of the team are from the sophomore class. The first debate will be held November 12, when the Porterville team will discuss the question of federal inheritance tax with debaters from Kern county high school.

Births, Deaths and Marriages in the San Joaquin Valley

BORN WALLACE—In Strathmore, October 14, 1915, to the wife of L. B. Wallace, a son.

DIED BUTLER—In Livingston, October 10, 1915, to the wife of C. R. Butler, a daughter.

BURNETT—Near Kingsburg, October 16, 1915, Mrs. Margaret A. Burnett, aged 64 years, 8 months and 11 days, a native of Illinois. Deceased was one of Kings county's best known pioneer women, having made her home in this city for many years. Her husband passed away a few years ago, but she is survived by five sons—W. J. Burnett, Kingsburg; C. C. Burnett, Taft; J. H. Burnett, Oakland; W. J. Burnett, Peoria, Arizona; and F. P. Burnett, Peoria, Texas; and one daughter, Mrs. L. W. Jones of Los Angeles. The funeral will be held from her late residence, 825 North Ninth street, Monday, October 19, at 2 p. m.

STYLLER—Near Stevenson, October 15, 1915, J. H. Styler, native of Scandinavia, aged 73 years.

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KALLIUS-NISTETER—In Merced, Frank Kallius, 21, and Esther Maudo Nisteter, 23, both of Watsonville.

BALL-SKIDMORE—In Merced, Art C. Ball, 21, of Merced, and Margaret D. Skidmore, 21, of Usonia, Mariposa county.

ENGAGEMENTS

RIPPY-HARRISON—Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Harrison of Tulare have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Velma Grace Harrison, to Mr. W. H. Rippy of Tulare. The wedding will take place early in November, and following a trip east, Mr. and Mrs. Rippy will make their home in Tulare.

ANNUAL REUNION IS HELD BY MARICOPANS

Old Timers Enjoy Quail Barbecue Friday in Cuyama Valley

MARICOPA, Oct. 16.—Maricopa's old timers' reunion and the annual quail barbecue which has been a feature of the opening of the quail season for a number of years, was held on Friday evening in the Cuyama valley when a large number of local men with many former residents of this city who had returned for the big event on Thursday, finished the opening shoot. The visitors and many local people went to the mountains on Thursday evening and spent the night in the open so as to be ready for the early morning shoot. On Friday morning fully fifty hunters started out to fill the bag for the big muligan stew which was to be served in the evening.

Frederic Mayer, Jr., of Gardnerville, who journeyed from his home in Ocean Park to act as cook for the muligan, took charge of the banquet, and with his assistants succeeded in making the muligan up to standard. The muligan was served in the evening and later a big camp fire was built and the gathering spent the most enjoyable evening of the season. The old timers tell of the early history of the Sunset district. The entertainment was rounded out by several recitations and songs by the more talented members of the party.

Among those to return to take in the big muligan were Parker Barrett and James Rogers of Bakersfield, former Mayor Clyde Garfield of Ocean Park, Balmy Sawyer of Taft and others now living in other west side towns and in Bakersfield.

NEWMAN JOTTINGS

NEWMAN, Oct. 16.—The contract has been let for a cottage for Mr. and Mrs. B. Boone on B Street formerly owned by Mrs. Bell Stewart. This is a substantial home, costing about \$1,900.

Rev. Leek and daughter of Dixon are visiting friends here. Rev. Leek was formerly the minister here for the M. E. church.

Reggie Miller fell on the pavement Tuesday while riding a bicycle and broke his arm in two places. Dr. Ward attended him and the little fellow is doing nicely.

Mrs. T. Fahay of this place is visiting her son at Ingomar for two weeks.

BRIEF CORCORAN NEWS JOTTINGS

CORCORAN, Oct. 16.—Ernest Edmondson of Watsonville spent Wednesday in Corcoran.

Mrs. Ed Woolsey gave a miscellaneous shower at her home east of town Friday for Miss Hazel Guberson.

Frank Fry of Los Angeles spent Wednesday at the hotel here, after lunch. Mr. Fry owns considerable land out on the lake.

W. Hathaway, who has been visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. B. Fell, left Sunday for his home in Los Angeles.

Mrs. and Mrs. Leslie Adams of Lemoore spent a few days in Corcoran visiting Mrs. Adams' mother, Mrs. Schmitz.

P. E. Mathers

SOCIETY NEWS FROM CENTRAL CALIFORNIA TOWNS

MODESTO.

Mrs. L. W. Krohn has sold her 80-acre ranch in the Sylvan district, north of Modesto, to T. W. Johnson, a contractor of Oakland, for \$30,000. The deal was made by the Layman Realty Company of Oakland. The Krohn ranch is well improved, and the 25 acres in alfalfa. The stock and the farm implements were included in the sale price. The Krohn will give possession the first of November, when Mr. Johnson will move with his family to the place.

Mrs. Frank Bell entertained the Two Table Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Herbert McHenry was the prize for score. Those who played were: Mesdames McHenry, J. H. Hoskins, F. Bell, J. M. Nightingale, Sylvan Lutz, and Misses Elsie Worswick, Myrt Woodson and Ruth Kilham.

Mrs. L. W. Fulkner and daughter, Verne, are in San Francisco, visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. McHenry. Mrs. J. Frank Russell entertained the Friday Afternoon Bridge club this week at her home. Members present were: Mesdames H. Husted, J. R. Broughton, Thomas Downey, H. Hart, E. L. Von, A. J. Carlson, T. P. Griffin, H. W. Wilbur, H. A. Bates, and J. W. Husted.

Mrs. Martha E. Tucker went to San Francisco Saturday morning to spend a week at the Inside Inn. Rev. and Mrs. J. H. McCartney entertained the Modesto Mission Circle of the Christian Church Thursday evening. After the study the favorite people spent the evening with games and music.

Mrs. Hamilton Grant was hostess to the Needlecraft Club Wednesday afternoon at their usual hour of fancy work and sociability. Mrs. Grant's guests were: Mrs. J. H. Hoskins, Fred Chase, Ed. Sorenson, L. T. Moss, Miss Howell and Walter Bacon.

Mrs. J. C. Robertson and children, Nita, Donald and Kenneth, and Mrs. W. B. Clarke of Merced, motored to San Francisco Saturday morning, to spend two days.

Irvine Easton came from San Francisco Friday evening to spend the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Frank A. Greasey.

Mr. and Mrs. George Threlfall entertained the Five Hundred Club Friday night at their home. The club members are: Mrs. Mabel Perl, Stone, Messrs and Mesdames G. B. Husted, J. R. Broughton, C. E. Camp, E. L. Look, T. P. Griffin and J. P. Ross.

Major and Mrs. W. A. Coulter of San Jose, and Mrs. C. A. Moody of Oakland, are guests at the George A. Greasey home.

Gustav Schneider, supervisor of the Berkeley playgrounds, came to Modesto Friday evening for a visit with Dr. and Mrs. E. F. Stryhne and other friends. Mr. Schneider was in charge of the playground improvement club to address a club Monday afternoon on "Playgrounds for Modesto."

Mrs. M. S. Large and son, Jack, came from San Francisco Monday to visit Mrs. Large's father, A. L. Cressy.

MARICOPA.

One of the delightful affairs to occur recently was a birthday surprise party and luncheon given for Mrs. Stone, wife of Chas. W. Stone, superintendent of the Modesto Cattle Co. Company. Mrs. Stone, on her return she found her home in possession of a crowd of lady friends and neighbors. At the close of a pleasant afternoon a dainty lunch which was served, and Chas. W. Stone and Mrs. Stone many happy returns of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rogers, Mrs. Mary Kline and Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Donnelly, and son left yesterday for San Francisco, where they will spend a short time viewing the wonders of the big fair.

At a meeting of the Maricopa Eagles' lodge held this week it was decided to give the annual Thanksgiving ball, which has become a custom with them in this city, as usual, the affair to be held at the Plaza. Committees on arrangements were appointed, and the plans and details will be announced as decided upon.

E. E. Brown, formerly interested in the ownership of the oil wells, has purchased the Excelsior Sun shortly after leaving here, has disposed of that property, and recently purchased a paper in Dundee, Michigan. Before coming to California his home formerly was in Michigan, and property interests called him there again.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Minium and Miss Lulu Devore returned from their two weeks' stay at the exposition Monday night. Their trip included several side trips to friends in San Jose and elsewhere.

J. P. Goodie, the leading contractor of Fellows and the North Midway field, spent Thursday in Maricopa on business.

L. H. Munding and his father motored to Maricopa from Bakersfield on Thursday to spend the day visiting with old acquaintances. Mr. Munding was a former drifter in the Sunset field and lived in this city. He now makes his home on his ranch near Bakersfield.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan returned the first of the week from San Francisco, where they spent a week at the exposition.

Attorney H. I. Bell was called to Los Angeles on Wednesday on legal business. William J. Schultz spent the first of the week in Bakersfield on business.

H. H. Hill of Bakersfield was a Maricopa visitor on Monday and Tuesday.

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Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, act gently on the bowels and positively do the work.

People afflicted with bad breath find quick relief from Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The pleasant, sugar-coated tablets are taken for bad breath by all who know them.

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TULARE.

Mrs. Rachel Bartholomew, formerly president of the Tulare W. C. T. U., returned from an extended visit to Los Angeles, where she attended a reception Wednesday afternoon, following the business meeting of the local W. C. T. U.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church held its first social meeting for the season at the church parlors Thursday afternoon.

The Bridge Club was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. W. Linder. Among those present were: Mesdames F. E. Anderson, L. L. Abernethy, G. C. Burnett, H. R. Charters, Chas. Yucum, C. E. Eldridge, R. D. Helms, C. J. Harper, Frank Newcity, E. C. Myers, Oscar Parlier, W. S. Triplett, R. J. Young, Geo. M. Williams, G. C. Harris, and Otto Parlier, and Miss Zora Anderson.

The Eagles' League began Saturday night and will continue on each week, one being given every other week. McCourt's orchestra will furnish music all season, and the committee in charge of the dances is composed of L. W. Bardsley, C. S. Reilly, H. L. Tubbs, E. M. Kitchen and John McHenry.

Miss Dorothy Zumwalt, who is to become the bride of Lynn H. Thompson of Salt Lake City next January, was the guest of honor at a luncheon given Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Zora Anderson and her mother, Mrs. B. J. Anderson. Decorations were in pink, the favorite color of the bride-elect. The guests included Mesdames Dick Hyde, Jr., of Visalia, C. C. Zumwalt, E. B. Harper, R. N. Fuller, Oscar Parlier, G. W. Linder, G. C. Harris, Hazel Gray, Frank Lamerson, of Visalia and Roy S. Tozier.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church held a social meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kate Montag. Among those present were: Mesdames Henry Whaley, Henry Florer, G. W. Jones, N. F. Thornbury, Frank Goble, E. P. Foster, L. H. May, J. W. Jones, J. H. Hurdon, H. A. Charters, J. E. Ryan, P. E. Anderson, C. O. Cobb and W. M. Brown and Miss Alice Wright.

POPLAR.

The regular meeting of the Poplar Patrons of Husbandry was held the past week as usual at the Grange hall.

Mrs. Della Howell was elected delegate to the State Grange in the place of Allen Blair, who is unable to attend. After discussion, it was voted to endorse a resolution to be voted upon October 26. The lecturer's program, was given at the close of the business meeting. The evening program: Reading, "Mirandy on Ten"; Musical: "Two by Four" recitation, Stanley Taggart; "Training for Citizenship," Oscar Bells; solo, "When I Grow a Little Bigger," Edna Thompson; reading by Nellie Carleton; selection from Browning, Mrs. Eda Taggart; music, "Aloha," Vera Thompson; guitar and mandolin, Orrville Howland and Mrs. Ray Howland; contest, Popular Inventions, in song, Stanley Taggart. After the program a social hour was held, and all served with candy and cookies.

Sunday morning the pastor, Rev. J. C. Trotter, will be assisted in the delivery of his sermon by boys of the Sunday school. The service is for the children, but will also be of interest to the older folks.

The Epworth League meeting on Sunday evening was in charge of the pastor, whose topic was "Why Pray? I don't know What We Need." The meeting hour of the League has been changed and from now on will commence at 7:30 instead of 8 o'clock as formerly. Next Sunday evening Rev. Trotter will give an address on "Kissin' Week."

Rev. Trotter returned from the M. E. conference last week, having been re-appointed to this charge. He received his ordination while at conference.

A modern motion picture projector with all the latest improvements has been secured by the Poplar Methodist church and will be used for entertainment. The film service to be of the best, including drama, comedies, travel, etc. and the prices will not exceed town prices, and it has been shown that the pictures will not be shown for profit. This innovation involves great expense and we speak of a large party for this entertainment designed for community betterment.

During the past week Mr. Wolfe has had his store building moved from its former site to its property south of Poplar store. Mr. Gibbons had charge of the moving and Mr. Newcity's traction engine furnished the traction engine. Mr. Wolfe will continue to run the store in his usual manner.

WHEATVILLE.

Perry Corby was a welcome visitor here this week.

Roberts Brothers, who have been at work for some time with their alfalfa thrasher, will finish up a few more small jobs here and then go to Transylvania, where they have considerable work engaged.

J. Leggett has just sold off his second large shipment of young chickens to the San Francisco market.

Earl White and his grandfather, F. M. Bentley, went by auto to San Francisco, where they will spend the next week or ten days visiting the exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Walsh of Fresno were out here recently looking over the alfalfa ranch.

Dudley Newby Eason, motorist over here this week and visited at Towne station.

Bert Stiles has just bought and hauled away a load of fine fat porkers from the D. C. Francis ranch here.

The Wheatville store for the past week has left for an indefinite stay. He is now in San Francisco, where he intends to take a course in music.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Engesser motored to Town station Sunday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. M. Middleton families and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Patterson on the evening.

F. G. Wheaton, the Misses Myrtle and Mildred Middleton and Mrs. Carolyn formed a jolly motor party that went on a ten mile pleasure trip on the alfalfa ranch.

Geo. A. Francis was called to Carthage by his machine recently to bring Mr. and Mrs. L. Downing and their broken car home to the Crescent Land Company ranch.

F. T. Bartlett was branding several young mules recently and during the

REEDLEY.

D. L. Eymann and wife, who have been visiting at the exposition in San Francisco and San Diego, returned home the first of this week.

H. F. Winnes and wife returned this week from a month's visit at the exposition in San Francisco.

Miss Abington left this morning for San Francisco for a week's visit at the exposition.

S. S. Knauer and wife returned Wednesday from a brief visit to San Francisco.

Mrs. A. C. Vogt of Haledale, Kan., is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rath.

F. W. Davis is attending a meeting of the Masonic Grand Lodge in San Francisco this week as delegate from Reedley lodge.

James Besaw and wife left early in the week for a short visit in San Francisco and the exposition.

W. D. Vanderhoff returned home Tuesday after an extended visit to San Francisco and the exposition. A. E. Guy, W. D. Smith and E. P. Smith accompanied him.

Beginning with October 13, the Reedley library will be open daily, except Sundays, from 2 to 5 p. m. and 7 to 9 p. m.

Edgar Beck and wife and daughter Helen, who were in the city, are visiting the exposition in San Francisco. They made the trip by auto.

PORTERVILLE.

Members of the Maccabees lodge held a reception at the Congregational church parlors Monday evening in which Mrs. T. A. Howell was the guest of honor. Mrs. Howell leaves soon for Los Angeles to make her future home. After a program of music, supper was served and Mrs. Swan presented Mrs. Howell with a handsome silver set, a token of appreciation from the members of the sorority.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kuhn, who have been spending some weeks in an outing in the upper mountains, returned to Porterville Tuesday. They will leave next week for San Francisco, where they will spend some time in a visit at the Panama-Pacific exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Murphy have returned from San Francisco, where they were in attendance at the exposition for two weeks.

Miss Mamie Eastwood is here from Los Angeles for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Robert A. Mack, on Harrison street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Young have returned to San Francisco after a visit at the home of their daughter, Mrs. George Gordon Murray.

Mrs. Lily Ingwersoll is here from Los Angeles for a visit at the country home of her daughter, Mrs. S. C. Case.

Mr. and Mrs. John Quackenbush are guests of Mrs. Mattie Carpenter at her suburban home. Mr. and Mrs. Quackenbush have been visiting at the exposition.

Mrs. F. M. Cleaves of Los Angeles gave a song recital at the Congregational church the evening of Thursday. Mrs. Cleaves has a fine contralto voice, and the program she gave was an exceptionally interesting one. The program for the evening included:

Songs—(a) "The Joy of the Morning," (b) "The Joy of the Evening," (c) "The Joy of the Night," (d) "The Joy of the Day," (e) "The Joy of the Week," (f) "The Joy of the Year," (g) "The Joy of the World," (h) "The Joy of the Universe," (i) "The Joy of the God," (j) "The Joy of the Christ," (k) "The Joy of the Holy Spirit," (l) "The Joy of the Church," (m) "The Joy of the Sacrament," (n) "The Joy of the Eucharist," (o) "The Joy of the Communion," (p) "The Joy of the Agape," (q) "The Joy of the Fellowship," (r) "The Joy of the Unity," (s) "The Joy of the Peace," (t) "The Joy of the Love," (u) "The Joy of the Joy," (v) "The Joy of the Life," (w) "The Joy of the Death," (x) "The Joy of the Resurrection," (y) "The Joy of the Ascension," (z) "The Joy of the Second Coming," (aa) "The Joy of the Eternal Life," (ab) "The Joy of the Eternal City," (ac) "The Joy of the Eternal Kingdom," (ad) "The Joy of the Eternal Glory," (ae) "The Joy of the Eternal Splendor," (af) "The Joy of the Eternal Majesty," (ag) "The Joy of the Eternal Power," (ah) "The Joy of the Eternal Wisdom," (ai) "The Joy of the Eternal Knowledge," (aj) "The Joy of the Eternal Truth," (ak) "The Joy of the Eternal Beauty," (al) "The Joy of the Eternal Goodness," (am) "The Joy of the Eternal Kindness," (an) "The Joy of the Eternal Gentleness," (ao) "The Joy of the Eternal Meekness," (ap) "The Joy of the Eternal Patience," (aq) "The Joy of the Eternal Longsuffering," (ar) "The Joy of the Eternal Mercy," (as) "The Joy of the Eternal Grace," (at) "The Joy of the Eternal Favor," (au) "The Joy of the Eternal Blessing," (av) "The Joy of the Eternal Gift," (aw) "The Joy of the Eternal Promise," (ax) "The Joy of the Eternal Covenant," (ay) "The Joy of the Eternal Alliance," (az) "The Joy of the Eternal Fellowship," (ba) "The Joy of the Eternal Partnership," (bb) "The Joy of the Eternal Union," (bc) "The Joy of the Eternal Communion," (bd) "The Joy of the Eternal Fellowship," (be) "The Joy of the Eternal 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BOYS GET 3354 EGGS AND GOOD PROFIT FROM EIGHTEEN PULLETS

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tural Experiment Stations.
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Many schoolboys are making spend-
ing money by keeping poultry, and al-
most any student can add to his in-
come in this way. In this article Pro-
fessor Lewis tells the actual experi-
ences of two boys who in one year got
\$50.03 for the eggs produced by 18
pullets.

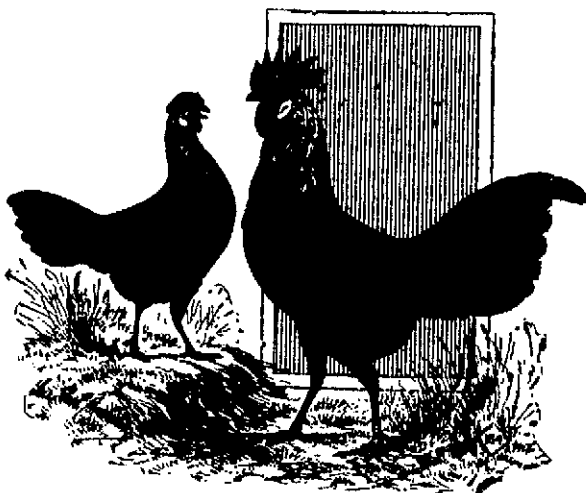
Asher Allison and his brother Henry
wanted to earn money for their own,
last year they proposed to their
father that he help them to start keep-
ing poultry. He agreed, and the boys,
one 15 and the other 12 years old,
went to work with a will, and under
the guidance of their father and with
the help of many circulars and bul-
letins which they received from the
New Jersey Experiment Stations, they
made their work a marked success.
The following facts pertaining to their
management and results may be help-
ful to others who are about to start
keeping poultry.

It was about the middle of July,
1914, that Asher made a small plan of
the poultry house which he wanted to
build and sent it to the Experiment
Station for suggestions. The plan was
checked over and a list of the material
needed in building it was forwarded
together with a few minor criticisms.
The lumber was bought from a local
lumber dealer at a cost of \$14, and the
boys built a small shed roof house
eight feet wide by ten feet deep. They
put a large muslin curtain in the cen-
ter and a glass sash in the west end
of the house, to let in sunlight and to
give plenty of fresh air. The house
was built on posts, the floor being
two feet above the ground. A small
yard ten by twenty feet was built of
ordinary poultry netting at small cost.
The area enclosed was a fine green
grass field, which gave the birds lots
of green food.

Upon the completion of the house
the boys visited a farmer, about a
mile from the small city where they
lived, and after explaining their plan,
bought from him eighteen Barred Ply-
mouth Rock pullets, which were nearly
mature, at a cost of 70 cents each.
These were placed in the house on
July 25, and on August 1 the boys be-
gan to keep an accurate record of
what they fed to the birds and the
eggs laid.

Method of Feeding

The feeding practice which the boys
used consisted of keeping before the
birds at all times a dry mash and giv-
ing in addition a small amount of
grain in their every morning and
night. A commercial dry mash hop-
per was purchased and a ration con-
taining equal parts of wheat, bran,



GOLDEN CAMPINES

Two Campines have been bred in
Belgium for centuries and have
achieved wide popularity throughout
Europe because of their heavy egg
production. There are Silver and Gold
Campines, and both varieties lay white
eggs of good size, and like the Leg-
horns, seldom become broody.

The Golden Campine is a handsome
fowl, about the same size as our Leg-
horns. It is alert and active, and its
wheat middlings, ground oats, corn
meal and gluten meal, together with
10 per cent of meat scrap, was placed
in the hopper. This ration the boys
bought ready mixed from a local grain
dealer.

In the morning about 7 o'clock the
birds were given about 1 1/2 pounds of
wheat, and usually about 4 o'clock, as
soon as school was over, 2 to 3 pounds
of a mixture of half wheat and half
corn was scattered in the litter of
straw and leaves, which was always
kept thick and coarse over the entire
floor.

Plenty of clean water was kept be-
fore the birds, and they were fed all
the green grass and sprouted oats that
they would clean up quickly. Scaveng-
ing from the table was fed also, and made
it possible to cut down at times on the
grains.

Asher kept the records and handled
the accounts, while Henry collected the
eggs and made most of the deliveries
to customers. Both boys attended to
the feeding and the care of the yard
and house. All of the eggs which were
used by the family were paid for at
regular store prices. Considerable
trade was built up in the immediate
neighborhood, as the community knew

of the boys' project and was eager to
get first-class eggs, strictly fresh, at
a most reasonable price.

Record of Year's Egg Yield
The pullets were well bred birds,
strong and vigorous so that they re-
sponded well to the good care and at-
tention which were always given them.
The daily record was kept carefully
together with the selling price and the
cost of all material purchased. The
following is the monthly egg record
as sent to me by these amateur
chicken men:

Month	Eggs
August	38
September	105
October	189
November	251
December	291
January	295
February	354
March	491
April	420
May	330
June	248
July	210

Total for the year 3354
eggs or 279 1/2 dozen.
This is a remarkable yield, and, in

fact, is much above the average. It
could not have been secured unless the
birds had been first-class and the boys
had taken the best of care of them.
The flock averaged 155 eggs per bird
for the year, their best month being
April, when they laid an average of
14 eggs a day. One pullet died in June,
but this was the only loss in the year.

A wet spell in February resulted in a
few colds, but these were soon checked
before damage had been done.

The average price received for the
eggs was thirty-four cents a dozen,
which netted the boys \$95.03. For
some eggs they received as high as 56
cents a dozen, while in April and May
they had to take as little as 21 cents
for a few.

Expenses for the Year
The money paid out on account of
the house and care of the flock was
as follows:
All material for house \$17.00
Fencing and posts 4.10
Hoppers, pans, hup and
alve 4.89
Birds at 70c each 12.60
Feed purchased (not includ-
ing table scraps) 28.50
Litter 1.40
Miscellaneous, spring, egg
boxes, etc. 4.18

Total expenses \$72.57
Subtracting this amount from the
gross returns of \$95.03, I was sur-
prised to see that the boys had cleared
a net profit for the year of \$22.06 or
a little more than one dollar per bird.
This is especially gratifying in view of
the fact that the house is paid for out
of the first year's record, and the
purchase price of the birds is covered
as well. The birds can be sold later
as meat and will thus avail the in-
come.

These are excellent results and
somewhat exceptional, but they will
not give you any idea of what is
possible in the raising of poultry, and if
you are willing to put in considerable time
in caring for them and to study them
constantly to see that they are given
every need. Results in our boys' work
about the state show many cases the
reverse of this and others nearly as
good, so that I cannot but point out
the danger of being too optimistic.

Success will accompany your efforts
and you will have a mighty fine time
at it if you make sure that the follow-
ing conditions are present:

First, that you really want to do it
and are willing to put in time and
study on it.

Second, that you secure strong,
healthy birds with which to start.
Third, that you secure good, sound
advice as to the housing and feeding
of the birds. These are the two funda-
mental points in the raising of poultry.
Lastly, such work will get you out
doors with its many attendant advan-
tages, fresh air to breathe, plenty of
sunlight to make you strong, and, best
of all, a business in which you are in-
terested and which is preparing you
for a bigger business later in life. And
this all in the spirit of play.

BOAT PASSENGER SUICIDES.
SEATTLE, Oct. 15.—John Peters of
Los Angeles, a passenger on the steam
schooner, Yosemite, bound for Seattle,
shot and killed himself while the boat
was nearing Port Townsend today.
Peters, a married man, had been
suffering from the delusion that he
was being pursued by a woman's
ghost.

ships nearly 6000 carloads of oranges
annually, and with this large acreage
not yet in bearing and practically
none of the other in full bearing, in
six or seven years it stands to reason
there will be an output of eighteen or
twenty thousand carloads of oranges
yearly.

There are already planted 625 acres
of bearing lemon trees and 775 acres
of non-bearing trees. Here, too, a
large increase in the shipments will
be noted within a very few years.
The heaviest planting during the
past few years seems to have been to
olives. There are at present only
800 acres of bearing trees, while 3050
acres are yet in a non-bearing state.
The development of this fruit will be
watched with much interest during
the next few years by local growers.
The industry is at present suffering
from a lack of proper marketing
methods and a lack of knowledge on
the part of the consumer of the won-
derful food properties of the olive.

There are 200 acres of bearing
grapefruit trees and 170 non-bearing.
Tulare county with its 45,070 acres
of citrus fruits now leads all other
counties in the state in acreage plant-
ed, and in a few years will lead in pro-
duction.

About two thousand acres of citrus
orchards have been fumigated for
gray scale by the county this year at
a cost of nearly \$8000. The results
of the work has been excellent and
cost an average of \$30 per acre to the
owner.

During the Year 1914-1915, 53,359
orange trees have been shipped into
the county and inspected by the hor-
ticultural commissioner, the number
being only one-half the amount in-
spected the year previous.
The importation of lemon trees has
more than doubled, there being 23-
653 trees inspected as against 10,151
the year before. The same ratio holds
true regarding the 3046 trees being in-
spected. Olive trees to the number
of 26,800 were inspected.

A total of 1,021,170 citrus and de-
ciduous trees, vines and plants, and
741,565 cuttings, bud sticks and seed
bed stock were brought in and in-
spected. Of these, 16,347 pieces were
condemned for root knot, phyloxera,
bug, borers, mealybugs, and the
various scale insects.

CORCORAN

O. D. Strong met with the Mer-
chants Association of Stanford Ex-
posed the fact that the Corcoran
day and arrangements were made for
the entertainment of the excursion-
ists' special train coming through this
section of the valley October 26.
It has been planned by the railway of-
ficials to stop the train at Corcoran
early on the morning of the 26th, and
autos will be in waiting to take the
excursionists out over some of the best
part of Kings county. The exact
routing has not yet been decided upon,
but it is planned to take them over
some of the alfalfa and stock-grow-
ing part of the county west of town,
take in some of the wheat-growing
district on the lake land, and return
by the way of Stratton, Lemoore,
Hanford and meeting the train again
at Hanford. This trip will be a rare
opportunity for the eastern farmer to
see some of the best part of Califor-
nia. The growing of wheat and bar-
ley and the raising of cattle and hogs
and alfalfa will appeal to the men who
will be interested in a country so easily
developed as this.

The King County Land and Cattle
Company shipped two carloads of cat-
tle in from Turlock Saturday. These
cattle will be used to stock up the
fourth dairy farm of the company.
F. A. Cleveland has been hauling
hay to town and loading it on the cars
to ship. This is being hauled in by
tractors that Mr. Cleveland used in
hauling wheat to town all summer.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lester have
moved to their ranch out on the lake
to spend the winter putting in wheat
and getting ready for a crop another
year.

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Valley Real Estate

SONORA

Work on the Rawhide mine in Tu-
lame county has started under the
management of its new owners, the
Silver Peak Mining Company from Ne-
vada. The expensive plant from Tun-
cup will soon be installed on the
property, making it one of the best
equipped in the southern mines. The
sale of this famous mine was con-
summated by Alex Chalmers acting for
the Patterson estate of Fresno which
acquired it from the late Captain
Neville, along with the well known
App mine also of this county. Mr.
Chalmers three months ago sold the
App and it is at the present being
operated through the shaft of the
Dutch mine. These three are among
the very best mines in the west.

WHEATVILLE

Charles Green, manager of the Pa-
cific Acme Co., with forty odd head
of horses and mules, passed through
here recently on his way out to the
company's holding west of Wheatville,
where he will commence plowing for
the fall sowing.

TRAVER

Rice culture in the old Traver dis-
trict is attracting much attention
among the farmers here. A majority
of the old settlers here were at one
time residents of Traver, moving here
with the decline of the fertility of the
soil there. For the past two years ex-
periments have been conducted in Traver
along this line, and yesterday E.
H. Rietfel was in town with samples
of rice which he had from his ranch. The
heads are long and the grains of rice
are seemingly well developed. Mr.
Rietfel has experienced only in a
small way, but states that his faith in
the industry is great, and this coming
season he will plant five acres to rice.
With the proven success of the indus-
try, the town of Traver may again
come to the front as an important
shipping and trading center.

PORTERVILLE

John Templeton and Hugh Temple-
ton, owners of a 10-acre tract of land
just north of the city limits, within
a short distance of the high school
addition, have surveyed their property
for sale in 10-acre tracts. Restrictions
as to the nature of buildings have been
imposed as a condition of sale.
Frank Southwick closed a deal this
week for the purchase of a 2-acre
tract of land in the Doyle Colony.
Southwick will move to the property
and will start improving it at once.
J. J. Doyle has bought from C. L.
Holland a 16-acre tract of land situat-
ed near the Porterville cannery. The
property is being graded and will be
cut up into city lots and in this form
placed on the market.

SELMA

Selma certainly presents a lovely
sight at present. Wagons are standing
in line in front of the packing houses.
Loads of rails reach the houses as
early as 2 o'clock a. m. to try to be
first in line. Some eastern visitors
said they could hardly realize that
Fresno county produced more rails than
they saw being delivered in one
day in Selma. This has been an ideal
season for drying fruit.

TULARE

W. A. Macey has leased his ranch
near Buena Vista to John Harwood.
who has been running a ranch west
of Tulare. A large new barn
being built on the property and other
improvements will be made. Mr. Har-
wood will conduct a dairy.

ORANGE COVE

The contract has been let for the
erection of a reinforced concrete gar-
age building, fifty feet by eighty feet,
on the northwest corner of Boulevard
and Sixth streets. There are several
applicants for the building, but it is
not definitely known who will operate it.

MERCED

The management of the city water-
works is looking forward to an early
change from gas engine power to that
of electricity.
Frank Fritts and Earl McKinney,
residents here, and who have graded
a good portion of the lands in the
Cove, are now grading 100 acres for
W. C. Howarth is building a second
house on his tract for the accommoda-
tion of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs.
P. H. Cope. Mr. Cope is in very poor
health.
A party of Santa Fe employees from
near Stockton were in the Cove over
Sunday. The gentlemen were W. S.
Jones of Knightland and L. C. Byers
and J. C. Russell of Middle River.
These gentlemen own land in what is
known as the Weatherly tract, lying
in the northeast portion of Orange
Cove. At this time they are figuring
on sinking wells and otherwise im-
proving.

LINDSAY

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ber of items appearing in the annual
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year ending September 30. In Tu-
lame county there are 19,750 acres of
bearing oranges and 22,500 acres non-
bearing. This one fact is interesting,
inasmuch as at present Tulare county

VISALIA

One of the largest realty deals in
this section for many days was re-
ported this morning when it was an-
nounced that the Goodwin brothers'
ranch near Tipton had been exchanged
for property valued at \$60,000 in the
city of San Diego. The deal was
made through the efforts of James D.
Pritchard, who has recently returned
from the southern part of the state.

E. E. Campbell is the new owner of
the Tulare county property, which
comprises 180 acres of finely improved
alfalfa and dairy land nearby. Mr.
Campbell is an experienced dairyman,
and will move to his new holdings in
the very immediate future and begin
getting ready for the coming year.

LATON

Following is list of sales of Laguna
lands made by Blanchard & Sons in
the last three weeks. Over 600 acres
have been disposed of in the last month
by the lease-option plan. Most of the
land listed is located on the island
northwest of Lemoore.

Joe Avila, 33; Herbert Berry, 20;
John Calote, 40; R. F. Mock, 30;
F. Wilson, 20; W. A. McCluney, 35;
C. W. Bremner, 43; H. J. Starrett, 20;
M. V. Taylor, 15; J. H. Schroder, 26;
Ralph Mark, 17; V. C. Avila, 32; P. F.
Dougherty, 20; Frank C. Schroder, 22.

McKITTRICK

Contractors Castro and Blaisdell
have completed the work of grading
the Bakersfield-McKittrick highway
from a point beginning at the eastern
termination of the McKittrick foothills
and ending at the western, where the
road connects with the corporate lim-
its of this city. The fulfillment of this
contract required several months of
arduous labor, much of which was per-
formed during the hottest days of the
summer, when the temperature inter-
fered greatly with the progress of men
and teams in the reduction of grades
and other work necessary under the
specifications provided. The highway
between the localities indicated is to
remain in its present condition until
improvement after the first rains of the
fall season have prepared the ground
for the final work.

While the improvement of the road
between Bakersfield, Rosedale, Ri-
bravo, Burtonville, Lihorn and Mc-
Kittrick has been progressing, auto
travel between the county seat and
McKittrick was interfered with to such
an extent that it became necessary to
divert all via Taft travelers enroute
Bakersfield from the south. When the
highway has been placed under con-
tract and completed from the southern
limits of McKittrick to Mariposa, thus
affording a through route all the way,
this highway will be one of the finest
within the borders of Kern county.
Several months will have elapsed
however, before this notable addition
to the good roads system of this sec-
tion will be made.

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Rice in California

In 1909 the United States Department of Agriculture began making rice growing tests at various places in the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys, which have continued to the present time. In 1912, the first commercial crop of rice was grown in California, on adobe soil near Biggs. The profits from this 1,400 acre crop were large, and 6,000 acres were planted the next year. In 1914, the area sown in rice was increased to 16,000 and this year the acreage has again taken a big jump.

As a result of the investigations of the Department, and in response to many requests for information, Farmers' Bulletin 685, "The Culture of Rice in California," has just been published. We summarize below some of the more important facts brought out in the bulletin. Persons interested may obtain the complete bulletin by application to the Department of Agriculture at Washington.

Soils for Rice

The larger part of the rice crop in California is on black adobe soil, classed as compact in structure, and containing about 50 per cent of clay. Average any clay soil, with an impervious subsoil, if it lies in level tracts and can be well drained, is well adapted to rice. Shallow soils are preferable to deep soils, because less water will be needed to submerge them. The Sacramento alluvial soils well adapted to rice, as does Willows clay. Average yields have been obtained where the surface soil gave indications of a high alkali content, rice apparently being more resistant to alkali than are the other cereals.

Near Clifton, in the Modesto irrigation district, an interesting rice growing experiment is being carried on this year on a 20-acre tract, which should furnish valuable information for many San Joaquin Valley farmers. Here four distinct types of soil, ranging from a sandy loam to a typical hardpan, overlaid with two to four inches of soil, are being tested for rice growing value.

Seed and Sowing. When not contrary to good farm management, and when the nature of the soil will permit, plowing should be done in the late autumn. There should be good drainage, so that the rice may wash out any alkali which has accumulated in the surface soil. Deep plowing should be practiced, followed by disking and harrowing in the spring. If plowing is postponed until spring, the land should not be left in furrows, but should be disked and harrowed at once and not allowed to dry out before sowing. The vigorous growth of the young plants, as well as high germination, is dependent upon how well the soil has been prepared for seeding.

The seed should be carefully fanned and screened before sowing, both to insure a good stand and to get rid of weed seeds. Barnyard grass is the worst enemy of rice in California. It has taken possession of more than 2000 acres of rice land in the Sacramento Valley and is spreading. Unless it is kept under control, it will render a large area unprofitable for rice growing. Germination tests should also be made, in order to secure seed of high vitality and to help determine the rate of seeding—the rate depending largely upon the variety of the seed, though also upon the variety, the character of the soil, the kind of soil and the method of seeding.

April 1 is recommended as the approximate date for sowing rice in California. The leading commercial variety, the Watsonian, requires approximately six months to mature in this state.

In sowing, drilling is advised, as it insures a more even distribution of seed than broadcasting and requires less seed. Under ordinary conditions it should be sown at a depth of not over two inches, though on clayey soil a greater depth may be necessary in order to cover the seed well. On black adobe soil, 90 pounds of seed to the acre are sufficient.

Rice Irrigation and Drainage.

Rice requires an abundant and always available supply of water. In not a few locations in the San Joaquin valley the question of water supply is the only one that keeps farmers from giving the crop a trial.

Because continuous submergence at a uniform depth is necessary for the growth of rice, only level land with a good slope for drainage should be selected for this crop. The field should be inclosed by strong embankments

and so subdivided that each subfield shall have a surface level enough to hold the irrigation water at the required depth.

These conditions can be obtained by constructing field levees on contour lines at distances which, during submergence, will hold water at an average depth of 5 or 6 inches. These levees should be built high enough to prevent the water from overflowing into subfields below and so protect the cultivation of rice may pass over them easily without damaging them. Such levees will be low and very broad. They should be spaced to rice. If this is done the cultivated area is increased and no uncultivated strips of land are left in the field for the growth of weeds. The growth of rice upon field levees may not be equal in every respect to the main crop, but the results will justify the practice. The control of weeds will justify the practice.

The levees should be permanently and accurately located. For this work, a competent civil engineer should be employed. The location of contour lines, the construction of levees and the leveling should cost about \$9 per acre for permanent levees and approximately \$2.50 for temporary levees.

The successful growth of this crop often depends upon the availability of water at the time of planting. If the water supply is to be developed from wells, the digging of the wells must precede the planting. Where this has been done, heavy losses have resulted. The acreage to be watered from a well should never overtax the supply. Until more is known about the underground waters of these two valleys, wells should not be depended upon as the only source of water for rice except in the arid districts.

On typical adobe soil, and probably on all of the clay soils upon which rice may be grown, it may be necessary to apply water to germinate the seed. A seed bed on these soils loses its moisture very quickly. Under normal conditions a good seed bed will require the application of water for germination. Such soils, if well drained, would probably permit very early planting, which, in California, will always be an advantage.

Great care should be taken in irrigation to obtain uniform soil and atmospheric temperatures are usually low at this season of the year, and if the water is left on the land too long the seed is likely to rot. Before the plants come up, water should not be allowed to remain on the land longer than 24 to 48 hours after each irrigation. After planting, the soil should never be allowed to dry out. This will require frequent irrigation, and a supply of water should always be available and abundant enough to meet general requirements.

Tests at the Biggs rice field station indicate that the land should be submerged for approximately 30 days after the plants have come up and that the best depth of water is from 5 to 6 inches. This depth should be maintained until the heads (botanically called panicles) are well turned down, when the fields should be rapidly drained.

Planting crops of rice cannot be produced without submergence, but the rate of submergence should be continued for a period of several months. The growing of rice on soil that is kept merely moist and not submerged should not be considered seriously.

The amount of water required to make a good crop of rice will depend largely upon how well the outside levees have been constructed and what quantity of water is allowed to flow through the field. Poorly constructed outside levees are responsible for the loss of much water by seepage.

After a field has been submerged no more water should be admitted than is needed to maintain the required depth. This will be rather small if there is no loss through seepage. The overflow of water should be no more than a mere film. From many fields it is often several inches. This is not to be practiced. The field water should not become stagnant if freshened only once in 10 days.

Too much attention cannot be given to levees and to the delivery and discharge of water. Payment for water should be based upon the volume delivered. Upon this basis it would be more economical to water, over conditions being equal, than could reasonably be expected when sold on a flat charge per acre.

On commercial fields of rice where the water was accurately measured during the last season in cooperation with the office of irrigation investigations of this department, the amount used on adobe soil in the vicinity of Biggs varied from 4.5 to 5 acre-feet. This range is too great, but more data must be obtained before definite statements can be made regarding the quantity of water that may be necessary to produce a crop of rice under California conditions.

A 40-acre field which produced 6,000 pounds of grain per acre received 4.5 acre-feet of water. This field had well constructed levees and was carefully leveled. The other fields did not have the levees so well constructed and were not so carefully watered.

A field of rice should be rapidly drained. This is very necessary in order to harvest the crop at the least expense of time and labor and to prevent the loss of grain. Even with increased power a self-binder cannot do the work on wet ground. Boggy fields will delay harvesting, and this delay will invariably result in reduced yields from the shattering of the grain.

It is just as important to provide means for the removal of irrigation water from the field of rice as it is to provide means for supplying water to the growing crop. This is not appreciated as it should be. There are difficulties. It is true, but there can be overcome. It is an engineering problem, requiring community cooperation and can be readily solved by the creation of drainage districts.

The natural drainage facilities of the level land upon which rice is grown are always arrested. It is often the case that little or no field drainage can be had until outside levees have been made, and the success of these depends upon their connections with water courses of sufficient capacity. Poor drainage, or the lack of drainage, results in underproduction through the waterlogging of the land and the accumulation in the surface soil of harmful salts, commonly called alkali. After their construction, drainage ditches need constant attention. They must be kept free from all kinds of obstructions, especially weeds, which grow luxuriantly in them, or their ef-

USE OF THE SILO ON FARMS IN CALIFORNIA

While silo building in America may be said to date from the eighties, it is only within the last ten years that they have been put up in large numbers. In 1913, nearly 31,000 silos were built in the thirteen Mississippi valley states. In the same year 8,000 were built in Wisconsin alone, making a total of 42,000 silos in the state, or one for every four farms. While in California the silo has become a common feature of the equipment of stock farms in many sections, yet the adoption of the silo has been somewhat retarded by the fact that green feed is available in most parts of the state during all but a few months of the year, and the important Indian corn, the most important silage crop, is grown only to a limited extent here and its possibilities for this state are, by many farmers, not appreciated. But even where Indian corn is not successfully grown, for where farmers prefer to grow other crops, it is still possible to have the advantage of feeding silage. Since many other crops can be successfully used for the purpose.

Interest in the silo is increasing throughout the state, and many inquiries have come to the Agricultural College at Berkeley for information as to silage crops, kinds of silos, etc. In response to this interest, a circular on the silo has been prepared by Professor F. W. Wolf. This can now be secured by writing to the Director of the Agricultural Experiment Station at Berkeley, and asking for Circular 128.

Silos at the University Farm. At the present time there are four silos in use at the University Farm at Davis:

1. A concrete silo built in 1910 in connection with the dairy barn; dimensions diameter 16 ft. and 33 ft. high, capacity 160 tons, solid cement walls, heavily reinforced with metal lath, wired with baling wire to upright iron rods; wall 3 1/2 inches thick below and 2 1/2 inches thick toward the top.

2. Remo silo built by the University by Redwood Manufacturing Company, San Francisco, built April, 1912; diameter 12 feet, 36 feet high, capacity about 100 tons, built of plain 2x6 redwood staves with patented silo doors and roof. Cost of the silo, \$207.20.

3. Ideal green feed silo, manufactured by the De Laval Dairy Supply Company, San Francisco, same dimensions as preceding silo, and of similar construction except that the staves are tongue and grooved; the doors are interchangeable and are simple and substantial in construction. A ladder is nailed along the silo doors to the top of the silo complete, with foundation, \$252.20.

4. Re-saw silo, built by the University Farm carpenters, in August, 1914, from two thicknesses of 8-8 inch redwood lumber, nailed horizontally to wood studs placed 12 inches apart, care being taken to secure a layer of building paper was nailed between the boards. The silo was provided with doors and ladder similar to those on the preceding silo. The cost of the silo, with foundation and roof, was practically the same as that of the Ideal Green Feed Silo, that is, \$254.50.

A cheaper re-saw silo of 110 tons capacity, built by a Yolo county dairy farmer in 1913 is described in the bulletin as follows:

"The material used in the construction of this silo consists of two layers of one half-inch by eight inch wood, sided and surfaced on one side, with two layers of building paper between. The silo is 2 by 4 pine and placed 12 inches apart. No bottom was put in, as we have been informed that this is not necessary. The silo is built on a concrete foundation twelve inches deep and ten inches thick. This

is below the surface of the ground, the ground making the form. On top of this is laid a circle sawed from 2 by 12 redwood, and to which the silo is spiked. For the top of the silo a circle is cut from 1 by 12 redwood, using two thicknesses. The silo is well nailed and care was used in breaking joints.

"One carpenter and two unskilled laborers built this silo for a total cost of \$200.00. Our silage cost \$28.00 per M, half-bushel being figured as 100 lbs. We used more studding than is used in many cases. Many put them 18 inches to 24 inches apart. The size of silo is 14 by 32 feet, and we believe holds 100 to 110 tons. We believe that we could reduce this cost a little in building another.

"We give below a list of the material used in one of these silos:

2x8's feet reduced saw, 41 pieces 2x3x32 pine, 8 pieces 1x12x12 redwood, 4 pieces 1x12x12 redwood, 100 square feet building paper, 150 pounds 7 penny box nails, 10 pounds spikes, 20 sacks 1 1/2 barrels cement, 2 yards gravel, Labor 8 days, 4 men."

"The concrete silo at the University Farm has been filled every season for the past five years, while the three wooden silos built last year were filled once, except in case of silo number 2, which was filled twice last season.

The following statement, giving data furnished by T. T. Tavernetti, assistant to the dean of the Farm School, gives the main facts concerning the filling of the four silos at the farm during 1914:

1. Silage crops I and III were placed in "silo A" (Redwood Manufacturing Co. silo).

2. In silo "B" (green feed silo).

3. In concrete silo at the dairy barn on top of the silage placed in this silo, May 5-7, 1914.

4. In silo "C" (re-saw silo).

DATE COST OF

No.	Kind of Silage	Sown	Harvested	Jrnl. - vated	Men	Horses	Fuel	Total	Total	Per Cost
1.	Alfalfa, first crop	4-25-14	4-29-14	None	\$31.45	\$40.70	\$5.12	\$157.28	\$5.44	\$1.23
2.	Kaffir (Sudan Grass or Feterita)	4-25-14	5-25-14	None	\$5.00	17.10	4.81	75.94	61.62	5.93
3.	Dent corn (early Leam-ing variety)	4-23-14	9-9-14	None	44.72	14.35	4.00	67.07	48.12	6.87
4.	Sweet sorghum (early Amber variety)	4-23-14	9-17-14	6-8-21	\$2.70	26.40	6.00	115.10	102.20	10.00
5.	Sweet sorghum (early Amber variety)	4-23-14	10-10-14	None	61.46	19.40	5.00	85.55	72.45	9.55

Remarks

No. 1. Very foul with foxtail and other weeds.

No. 2. Clean, quite ripe.

No. 3. Very clean, quite ripe.

No. 4. Clean, quite ripe.

No. 5. Rather green in places, seed in general hard and dry; very smutty.

"The amount of corn that can be put up in one day varies with the yield per acre. With the best corn we were able to put up 35 tons per day with a half-mile haul, and only 25 tons of the silo with a three-fourths mile haul. With this haul it took an average of eleven men distributed as follows: Four men with teamster, two bundle pitchers in the field, one man in the silo (preferably two), cutter tender, engineer and binder man. The cost given above does not include cost of production. It is simply the cost of harvesting and putting up the silage.

"The cost of the first crop of alfalfa prepared at the silo 'A' is abnormally high, due to several breakdowns with the engine used, which caused the men and horses to remain idle for a considerable time; the cost of the second crop, why the cost should have been higher for either the silo or alfalfa, which produced about the same yields per acre and cost on the average of \$1.23 per ton put in the silo. The total cost of production of the alfalfa crop, including cost of growing, amounted to very nearly \$2.00 in all.

"Horses or mules are figured at the rate of \$1.80 per year. Labor is figured at \$2.20 per man, which includes board.

"The power used on No. 1 was an I. H. tractor, 25-horse power; the power on the rest was a Holt Caterpillar engine with pulley attached (80-horsepower).

Water was added to the silage when it appeared to be too dry to be preserved well. On No. 2, 3, 4 and part of No. 5 were cut with a McCormick corn binder; part of No. 5 was so quick that a mower had to be used."

Silage Rations for Farm Animals. Professor Wolf recommends the following silage rations for farm animals, saying:

"The following rations are given as examples of combinations of different feeds with silage and dry roughage, with the amounts in each case that may be fed to the various classes of farm animals under the conditions present in this state:

(1). Indian corn silage, 35 lbs. Alfalfa hay, ad lib. (about 8 lbs.). Concentrates (rolled barley, oats, dried beet pulp, wheat bran or shorts, linseed meal, cottonseed meal, coconut meal, two or three mixed, according to current market prices), 5 to 6 lbs. per head daily.

(2). Alfalfa silage, 25 lbs. Wild hay or grain, ad lib. (about 10 lbs.). Concentrates (same as before mentioned).

(3). Kaffir or milo silage, 20 lbs. Alfalfa hay ad lib. (about 10 lbs.). Concentrates (as before).

Fattening Steers. (1) Alfalfa silage, 20 lbs. Grain hay, 10 lbs. Rolled barley, 5 lbs. (2). Indian corn silage, 25 lbs. Alfalfa hay, 10 lbs. Rolled barley, 5 lbs. Concentrates (same as before mentioned).

Wintering Cattle. Corn or sorghum silage, 20 lbs. Alfalfa hay, 5 lbs. Oat straw, 10 lbs.

Work Horses. Silage, 5 to 10 lbs. Oats and barley (1.1 by weight), or barley, wheat bran and coconut meal (3.3.1), 10 lbs.

Fattening Sheep. Silage, 2 lbs. per head daily. Hay, 1 lb. Oats and barley, 1 lb. each, or 1 to 1 1/2 lbs. of other grain feeds.

Breeding Ewes. Indian corn or sorghum silage, 5 to 4 lbs. Alfalfa hay, 1 lb. If alfalfa silage is available, grain hay or wild hay may be substituted for alfalfa hay.

quarrel over a girl was shabbed to death at East 7th street and Rawlins avenue.

The slain man, John Kalinassak, was found dead in the street by a passer-by.

One of the combatants was found and was taken to police headquarters, where he was questioned. He denied that he stabbed Kalinassak. The other man could not be located. Cleveland dispatch to the Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

PEACEMAKER IS STABBED TO DEATH. A man who, the police say, attempted to be peacemaker when his two companions fought with knives after a

Tests of Dairy Cows

During the year 1914-15, 567 official tests of dairy cows were made in California to determine their butter and milk production. Of this number, 239 cows were tested once a month for one-year records, while 257 cows, nearly all Holstein-Friesians, were tested for 7-day records, and a few for 14 or 20-day records. The total number of different breeders for whom cows were tested was forty-one.

Among the more interesting 7-day records are those of Tula De Kol, Pierette Netherland 10233, 56.7 lbs. milk, 2.087 lbs. butter fat average per cent 4.75, and Patsy Bloom 11641, 55.15 lbs. milk, 2.351 lbs. butter fat, average per cent 4.69. Both of these cows were owned by Miss M. J. Hollidge, Modesto, Tully Alcarra, owner by A. W. Morris & Sons of Woodland, and a 7-day record of 62.2 lbs. milk, 2.412 lbs. butter fat, average fat content 3.82 per cent. Her year record, it will be remembered was 30,151.4 lbs. of milk, containing 951.87 lbs. of butter fat. Pearl of Venezuela, a Jersey owned by Guy H. Miller, Modesto, produced 11,723.5 lbs. of milk and 476.8 lbs. of butter fat, equivalent to about 525 pounds of commercial butter.

In Circular 135 of the Agricultural Experiment Station, F. W. Wolf and Corn J. Hill give rules for the conduct of these official tests, requirements for admission to the advanced registers of the various breed associations, expense of tests, rules for making application for tests, and other information which will be of interest to any dairyman having his cows tested.

The tendency to pay more attention to actual performance and less to pedigree and conformation in buying and selling pure-bred cattle is becoming more and more evident. Testing is the only way to determine production.

Cholera Maxims

Hog cholera is most prevalent at this season of the year, and the U. S. Department of Agriculture offers the following suggestions to those who are interested in combating the disease:

To Keep Cholera Out of the Herd

1. Locate your hog lots and pastures away from streets and public highways, and do not allow the hogs to run free range.

2. Do not visit your neighbor or allow him to visit you if either of you have hog cholera on your premises.

3. Do not drive into hog lots when returning from market or after driving on public highways.

4. Do not use hog lots for yarding wagons and farm implements.

5. Do not place newly purchased stock, stock secured or loaned for breeding purposes, or stock exhibited at county fairs with your herd. Keep such stock quarantined at least two weeks, and use care to prevent carrying infection from these to other pens in feeding and attending stock.

6. Burn to ashes or cover with quicklime and bury under four feet of earth all dead animals and the viscera, away from animals and the butchering time. They attract the attention of buzzards, dogs, etc., which are liable to carry hog cholera infection.

7. Confine your dogs and do not keep pigeons unless you confine them. If Hog Cholera Appears in Your Herd

Treat your hogs immediately with anti-hog cholera serum, after which they should be kept on a light diet and pure drinking water and confined to limited quarters that may be cleaned daily and sprayed three times a week with one part of compound cresol solution to 30 parts of water until the disease has abated in the herd. To obtain the best results the serum must be administered before the disease has progressed in the herd.

To Rid the Premises of Infection

Remove all manure and saturate with quicklime.

Burn all litter, rubbish and old hog troughs.

After the premises are thoroughly cleaned, spray walls, floors and other surfaces with disinfectant (one part compound cresol solution to 30 parts water). Where hog houses are small, burn them over, exposing interior to sunlight.

Wallow holes and cesspools should be filled in, drained or fenced off.

All runs underneath buildings should be cleaned and disinfected and then boarded up.

Destroy hogs that do not fully recover, as they may be carriers of cholera infection.

The various breed associations have shown their appreciation of the importance of high production by establishing advanced registers or registers of merit for cows that have produced above certain quantities of milk or butter fat during stated periods. In order that there should be no question as to the correctness of these records of production, it was found desirable that they be determined by a wholly disinterested agency, and, as a result, the present system of official testing of dairy cows "as graduated," developed, through co-operation between various dairy breed associations and the agricultural colleges or experiment stations of the different states. At the present time the Guernsey, Jersey, Holstein, Ayrshire and Brown Swiss breed associations have adopted this plan of official testing, and cows are entered in their advanced registers on the results of authenticated records of production made in official tests.

"The tests are conducted by representatives of the agricultural colleges in the various states, who are held responsible by the general public for the correctness of the records made. It follows, therefore, in justice to all concerned, that the colleges must take all possible precautions against fraud or misrepresentation in connection with the tests, so that dairy farmers who buy stock largely on the strength of records made in official tests may have absolute assurance that these show the exact production of the cows at the time the tests were conducted. Without this assurance, the tests would soon be of no benefit to anyone.

"The official tests and the advanced registry records have been of the greatest value to breeders of dairy cattle, both from a financial point of view and from the general public operations. A good record will greatly increase the value of both the cow herself and her offspring and near relatives. It will also furnish important information for the selection of animals for breeding purposes with a view toward improvement in the offspring, and will give definite proof of the improvement that has been secured through selection and breeding. As the years go by, the money value and general importance of the system of official testing to the dairy breeder and to the agriculture of our state will be likely to increase, and hence a careful supervision of the tests will become of increasing importance.

"The agricultural colleges have found it necessary to adopt stringent rules and the conduct of these tests, and the superior desire to make the tests are bound to observe these rules in every detail, in order to safeguard the good name of the tests and justify the confidence of dairy farmers or breeders in the correctness of the records made in them."

RELIGIOUS RECIPROCITY. "There's a church near," said the country farmer to his paying guest; "not that I ever puts my nose in it."

"Anything the matter with the vicar?"

"Well, it's this way. I sold the old vicar milk and eggs and butter and cheese, and seeing as he patronized me I patronized him. But this new chap keeps his own cow and hens. 'If that's your game,' he'll 'ave 'omegoing religion, too.'—Manchester Guardian.

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TENNIS TOURNAMENT NOW NEARING FINALS

Number of Interesting Matches Played Yesterday; More to Be Played Today

Play in the Fresno County Tennis Tournament is narrowing down and attracting more enthusiasm from the tennis fans. In a close game between S. W. Cunningham and R. L. Beutler yesterday, Beutler won three sets of singles, 6-7, 6-2 and 6-3. Savage was forced to extend himself to beat H. King. Savage won 8-6 and 6-3. The play was close and went to deuce sets. In yesterday's doubles, C. E. Jenney and Clyde L. Smith engaged H. A. Savage and Lee Cobb. Cobb and Savage came through victorious, 6-0 and 6-3.

Today's matches will include a singles meeting between Lee Cobb and H. J. B. Close. James McKinley and George McKinley will meet Newton Hamilton and Ed. Bradley. Donald Forester and R. S. Feldman will meet John Coates and H. M. King. Last matches are scheduled for tomorrow. H. D. Simon will meet Ed. Hugheson and H. W. Edwards will engage Elliot E. Bradley in singles. In doubles, H. B. Lane and J. B. Close will play J. W. Maupin and Conrad Warner.

FIRST INTERCOLLEGIATE GAME TO CALIFORNIA, 44-7

After Nine Years' Lapse, University Team Wins Its First Contest in American Football

BERKELEY, Oct. 16.—In the first intercollegiate American code football game participated in by California in nine years, the Berkeleyites defeated the Sherman Indians of Riverside, 44 to 7.

The "Varsity" showed to much better advantage today than at any other game of the season, team work being much smoother, and few forward passes and formation plays going astray. After playing brilliantly through most of the game, Quarterback Sharpe of the University of California was forced to retire. Foster of Portland, Ore., substituted and his forward passes were features of the last quarter.

In the preliminary game, the Davis farm school team defeated the University freshmen, 10 to 7.

K. U. DEFEATS DRAKE, 30 to 7. LAWRENCE, Kan., Oct. 16.—The University of Kansas here today, 30 to 7.

TO BUILD MORE LINES IN OREGON

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 16.—Permanent organization of the Oregon, California & Eastern Railroad company, the plans of which contemplate the construction of a system of rail lines through Central Oregon to connect with existing railroads touching the borders of the vast undeveloped region and open new through routes to San Francisco and Nevada, was adopted today by the election of Robert E. Stralhorn, James G. Wilson and W. E. Bond as directors.

This was following preliminary organization of the company under the laws of Nevada. The directors elected Mr. Stralhorn president; Mr. Wilson, secretary and Mr. Bond, treasurer.

HENRY MANN DIES. NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—Henry Mann, widely known as a Civil War veteran, journalist and a politician, died in a hospital here today at the age of 67 years. Mann came to this country from Scotland when 15 years old. After the Civil War he served in the regular army and in Indian campaigns.

FOOTBALL SCORES

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 16.—Exeter 13, Yale Freshmen 0. Andover, Mass.—Harvard Freshmen 0, Andover 0.

Syracuse—Rochester 0, Syracuse 62. Cambridge—Harvard 0, Virginia 0. Columbus, O.—Illinois 2, Ohio State 3.

Princeton—Princeton 40, Lafayette 2. New Haven—Yale 19, Springfield Y. M. C. A. College 0.

Lincoln—Nebraska 24, Washburn 0. Ann Arbor—Michigan 14, Case 3. East Lansing, Mich.—Michigan Aggies 55, Carroll College 0.

Minneapolis—Minnesota 19, South Dakota 0. Durham, N. H.—New Hampshire College 5, Bates 0.

Hartford, Conn.—Amherst 6, Trinity 7. Washington, D. C.—North Carolina 0, Georgetown 28.

Middletown, Conn.—Wesleyan 3, Bowdoin 0. State College, Pa.—Pennsylvania State 47, Gettysburg 12.

West Point, Army 0, Colgate 12. Pittsburg—Pittsburg 45, Carlisle Indians 0.

South Bethlehem, Pa.—Lehigh 27, Albright 0. New York—New York University 10, Union College 0.

Ithaca, N. Y.—Cornell 41, Bucknell 18. Chicago—Indiana 7, Chicago 13.

Lawrence, Kan.—Kansas 20, Drake 7. St. Louis—St. Louis University 20, Knox 0.

Lafayette, Ind.—Purdue 3, Wisconsin 28. Iowa City, Ia.—Northwestern 6, Iowa 2.

Portland, Ore.—Washington Athletic Club 0, Multnomah 22. Los Angeles—University of Southern California 47, St. Marys, Oakland 8.

Denver—Colorado Mines 20, University of Wyoming 0. Detroit—Olivet 25, University of Detroit 3.

Alma, Mich.—Alma 20, Hillsdale 6. Franklin, Ind.—Franklin 20, Butler 16.

Crawfordsville, Ind.—Wabash 13, Washington 2. Richmond, Ind.—Rose Poly 7, Earlham 6.

Louisville, Ky.—University of Chattanooga 21, University of Louisville 6. Redlands, Cal.—Pomona College 19, University of Redlands 0.

New Brunswick, N. J.—Rutgers 21, Muhlenberg 0. Providence—Brown 33, Williams 0.

Colorado Springs, Col.—Colorado College 28, Nebraska Wesleyan 6. Colorado Aggies 21, University of Utah 9.

Washington State College 29, Oregon Agricultural College 0, at Corvallis, Ore.

Eugene, Ore.—University of Oregon 20, Lehigh University 7. Whitler—Whitler 32, Los Angeles Athletic Club 7.

Annapolis—Navy 7, University of Pennsylvania 7.

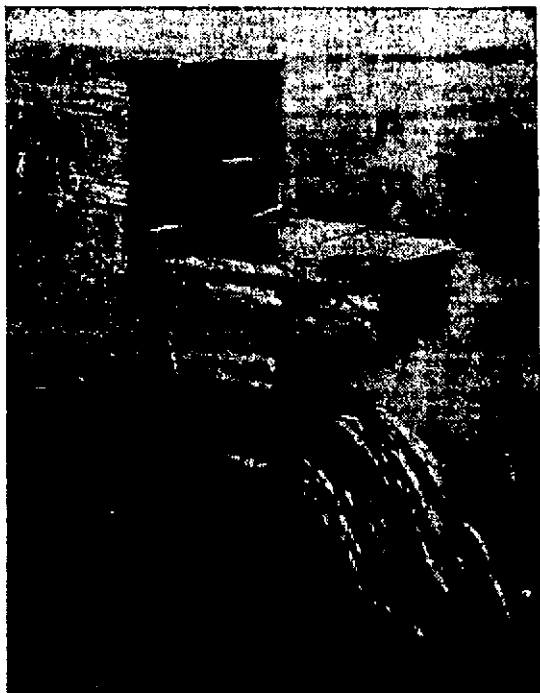
MICHIGAN DEFEATS CASE, 44-3. ANN ARBOR, Mich., Oct. 16.—Michigan today defeated Case College, 44 to 3.

MILITIA CAPTAIN IS DISMISSED; SHORTAGE

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16.—Captain Andrew Miller of the Tenth Company, Coast Artillery Corps, National Guard, became known here today for failing to appear before a court martial and explain a shortage in the accounts of the company. The special order of Adjutant C. W. Thomas, Jr., dismissing Miller was received here yesterday.

Oil News from California Fields

UNION OIL GUSHER AT MARICOPA IS KEEPING UP STEADY FLOW OF 4,000



Union Oil Company's 4000 Barrel Gusher

MARICOPA, Oct. 16.—The wonderful gusher of the Union Oil Company on Section 4, 11-23, which was struck on September 20, and came in with a flow of 4,000 barrels a day, has continued to flow at this rate, and is at the present time the best producing well in the entire Sunset Midway oil fields. The oil is of better than 27 degrees in gravity and is pouring into a trap where it is caught, and allowed to empty into a sump, from where it is pumped into the gauge tanks to be stored until it can be taken away in the pipe lines. Four 2,000 barrel gauge tanks are already on the lease, and these will be augmented by the addition of a larger one capable of holding 25,000 barrels in the very near future.

OPERATOR FROM INDIA VISITS IN OILFIELDS

Is Making Tour of Fields to Learn Methods of Use of Electricity

TAFT, Oct. 16.—That he may learn of the use of electricity in the oil fields of California, Harry W. Dryden, who for the past eight years has been employed by the General Electric Company, as engineer, in far-off India, is in the Midway. Dryden is on his usual vacation granted by the company, although he returned to the United States primarily to see the exposition, he has instead toured the oil fields first with the exhibition to be last on his list.

With S. O. Cassaway, Dryden is meeting oil men about the fields and receiving their opinions as to the various methods of using electricity for pumping. The electric motor in use by the General Petroleum Company in the Belridge field for the driving of wells, was visited by Dryden. It being of much interest to him. This has more than drilled in the neighborhood of 30 wells and is still in excellent condition. It daily gives its duty in making holes on the lease.

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The motorists left the White House this morning without telling even White House officials where they were going. It was midnight and the roads were muddy, but the holiday makers were not to be discouraged and noon found the White House car at Harper's Ferry, seventy-two miles away. At an inn overlooking the Potomac and Shenandoah rivers, the President registered, writing "Woodrow Wilson and party."

The inn is kept by a negro family and the President and Mrs. Galt, both of whom were born in Virginia, ordered an old-fashioned Southern dinner, which was served in the public dining room where were twenty other guests.

The President asked principally for apple pie for dessert, but was given "pear man's pudding." He paid for the dinner himself and tipped the waitress.

The news that the President was in the vicinity had preceded him on the return trip, and at Frederick and other towns, many people waited to see the White House automobile go by and tried to get a glimpse of Mr. Wilson and Mrs. Galt. The party reached the White House after 6 o'clock.

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SHELL COMPANY MAY BUILD NEW PIPE LINE

Rumored Company to Construct One From Coalinga to McKittrick

McKITTRICK, Oct. 16.—The announcement that the Kern Trading Oil Company and the General Petroleum Company, respectively, each will build a pipe line from the Midway and Sunset districts, traversing the route of McKittrick route, has revived the rumor circulated extensively some time ago that the Royal Dutch Shell or Shell company of California, as it is now designated, intends to construct a pipe line from Coalinga to its tank farm, four miles in a southeasterly direction from McKittrick. As stated heretofore, the Kern Trading & Oil Company, with many producing wells in the Maricopa, Midway and McKittrick fields, purposes to use the new line for the conveyance of gas from gushers at Kerto, in the Maricopa district, to be consumed in the operation of its wells in the McKittrick lease of the Kern Trading & Oil. The General Petroleum pipe line to run from the McKittrick tank farm to Lost Hills, will take the oil from the company's property in the Belridge and Lost Hills fields to the tank farm. The product being thence transferred through the line of the General Pipe Line company to Los Angeles. There are nine 55,000 barrel tanks at the farm, these having been erected about two years ago by the Royal Dutch Shell company and used by the General Petroleum company.

The Shell company of California, which is said to be desirous of controlling the gasoline trade of the world, owns many wells, cradled with good production in the Coalinga district, two tank farms in addition to the one near McKittrick, one located at Coalinga and the other at Martinez; and a refinery at the same place. The properties of the California Oil Fields Limited, and the W. K. company, both in the Coalinga field, were taken over some time ago by the Shell company. A pipe line from Coalinga to Martinez was completed not long since by this company, and it has quite recently built a topping plant on section 2, 20-15, of the Simpler Refining company system, near Coalinga. Here there are to be in the neighborhood of twenty tanks, four steel, each with a capacity of 2,000 barrels, four to contain 1,000 barrels each, and the remainder (of iron), holding 150 barrels apiece. The light gravity oil is removed from the light gas oil for use at the refinery, and it is estimated that 1,000 barrels of crude petroleum can be handled in a day. The Shell company's pipe line from the oil fields near Coalinga to the refinery is 157 miles long, and through it 25,000 barrels of oil can be sent every twenty-four hours. The financial strength of the Shell company is known the world over through its powerful backing by American, Dutch and British capitalists, and its heavy investments in California, where more than \$25,000,000 has been expended in the acquisition of various properties and their improvement, together with the inauguration of new enterprises connected with the business.

ETHEL D PLANS FOR DEVELOPMENT

MARICOPA, Oct. 16.—Supt. Fred Owens of the Ethel D. lease on section 34, 12-24 is making preparations for the commencement of much work on that property. To begin with a crew of men was placed on the No. 19 well with orders to deepen same to the gusher and found at 1,250 feet or about 50 feet below the sand the well is producing from at present. The well is on the opposite location to No. 10 well of the Kern Trading & Oil company, which has for several weeks past been producing at the rate of from 1,000 to 1,200 barrels daily. The well was drilled to offset the No. 19 of the Ethel D. company. As soon as the No. 19 well is finished to the deeper and a new well will be started. The rig and drilling materials have already been ordered and will soon be on the ground. The well will be known as the No. 17 and as it is being drilled in gusher territory, a good gusher is expected to be struck. It will be drilled on the adjoining location to the No. 19 well.

INSPECTS LAKEVIEW LEASE

MARICOPA, Oct. 16.—Secretary Floyd G. White of the Lakeview No. 2 Oil company, spent the past week in Maricopa as the guest of Supt. Walter J. Barnhart on the company's lease on section 4, 11-23. Mr. White is here on business connected with many improvements which are to be made on the company's property during the coming winter. He is also giving his attention to the lease of the Interstate Oil company, which lies adjoining the International lease of the Union Oil company, where a 4,000-barrel gusher was struck recently. Mr. White and his associates intend to deepen one of the Interstate wells, and expect to drill at least two new holes on the property before the end of the year.

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OIL SHIPMENTS FOR MONTH INCREASE QUARTER MILLION OVER AUGUST TOTAL

TAFT, Oct. 16.—Chief item of interest in the report of September field operations is the increase of shipments of approximately 5,000 barrels daily as compared with the August period, says the Standard Oil Bulletin. The production for the month shows but little change, and shutting production remains at 12,000 barrels daily. A comparison of production and shipments indicates daily shipment in excess of production of 17,912 barrels. Of the thirty wells completed in September, yielding an initial output of 10,565 barrels daily, the most interesting completion was the International Oil Company (Union Oil Company) No. 3, section 4, 11-23, in the Midway-Sunset field, depth 32 1/2 feet, gravity 26.5, good for 4,000 barrels daily. Summary of developments and production for all California fields for September, is as follows:

FIELD	Wells	Prod. Per Day
Kern River	1	1,668
McKittrick	4	279
Midway-Sunset	35	1,671
Lost Hills-Belridge	4	268
Coalinga	3	592
Lompoc and Santa Maria	10	241
Ventura County and Nacaball	2	446
Los Angeles and Salt Lake	5	688
Whittier-Fullerton	4	605
Summerland	1	98
Watsonville	1	75
Totals	18	4,436
Total crude oil stocks, September 30, 1915	145	59,824,905
Total shipment from fields, September, 1915	30	7,907,796

MIDWAY VIEW TO BEGIN DRILLING

MARICOPA, Oct. 16.—Thomas Jennings, formerly superintendent of the Case Mineral & Petroleum company, has accepted the superintendency of the Midway View Oil company and is now engaged with his son, Earl, in working up the production of that property. The Midway View lease is located on section 3, 11-24, and is a producer of a very heavy grade of oil. The well has been off production for some time, but Mr. Jennings and his son already have two back on the list and expect to have another well going before the end of the week.

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The Mother's Club of Hawthick, which has been enjoying several seasons of work, has planned a winter's program that is full of practical subjects. Their list of scheduled afternoons includes the following:

SEPTEMBER 30
Officers' Day—Hope Johnson, hostess.
Roll call. "What our club needs most."
There are never privileges to enjoy without corresponding duties to fulfill in return.

OCTOBER 7
Parliamentary Drill—M. J. Hampton, leader.
Roll call. "Responses on subject."
Attention to what is before you, whether it be a maxim, an action or a speech.
Paper, "Character Reading," by Mrs. Oscar Bertram.
The Farm School—Prof. Kelly, University of California.
A study of what ALL children need will help us to understand what our own child needs far more accurately than when we think of him as the only one.

OCTOBER 21
Reciprocity Day—Grace Latham Randall, hostess.
Roll call. "What is your best wish?"
Address of welcome by president.
Responses from members of visiting clubs.
"You belong to my club?"
Yes, you're one of my club.
And this is our program and plan.
To each do what is before you.
To look into the heart.
And see all the good that he can.

OCTOBER 30
Halloween Party—Josephine Dunstan, hostess.
Husbands as guests.
The Schmitts and der voridit schmilts mit ion.
Laugh und der voridit vill roar.

NOVEMBER 4
Parent-Teacher Day—Mrs. Moody and Mrs. Hampton, hostesses.
Roll call. "One Need of Our Schools."
Address by Superintendent Mead.

NOVEMBER 18
Old Folks' Day—Mrs. Emma King, hostess.
Entertainment and dinner.
For age is opportunity no less.
Than youth itself, though in another dress.
And as the evening twilight fades away.
The sky is filled with stars invisible by day.

DECEMBER 2
The Requisites of a Successful Mother—M. Wright.
The Punishment That Educates—Mrs. Carter.
Roll call. "Noted Mothers."
"We should preach God's glory day by day, not by words only—often not by words at all—but by our conduct. If you wish your neighbors to see what God is like, let them see what he can make you like. Nothing is so infectious as example."

DECEMBER 18
Christmas Trees.
Roll call. "The slowly dying cause and ancient forms of party strife. Ring in the nobler modes of life. With sweeter manners, purer laws."

JANUARY 6
The Power of Organized Motherhood to Benefit Society—Mrs. W. Richmond.
Roll call. "Current Events."
"There is no difficulty to him who wills."
Elizabeth Wilcox, hostess.

JANUARY 20
Domestic Science—Lillian Clark, U. of C.
Roll call. "My Favorite Recipe."
"If you would create something, you must be something."
Virginia Porter Hewitt, hostess.

FEBRUARY 3
The Storer System of Education—Blanche Hampton, hostess.
The Montessori System of Education—Jennie Trewitt.
Roll call. "Some Institution of Learning."
"The Kingdom of Heaven is Within."
Mrs. White, hostess.

FEBRUARY 17
Federation Day.
Roll call. "Why I Am a Club Member."
Address by Mrs. A. H. Armstrong, president District Federation.
"Help One Another," the snowflakes.
As they cuddled down in their fleecy bed.
"One of us here would not be felt. One of us here would quickly melt. But I'll help you, and you help me, And then what a splendid drift there'll be."
Flowers, hostess.

MARCH 9
Roll call. "A Book Worth Reading."
Address by Jessie Silverthorn, county librarian.
Paper, "Reading for Children," Mrs. Mac Bertram.
"Some books are to be tasted, others to be swallowed, and some few to be chewed and digested."

MARCH 23
Short Day—Ada McClain, hostess.
"Variety's the very spice of life. That gives it all its flavor."

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Music Day—Mrs. Wilson, hostess.
Roll call. "Favorite Music."
Paper, "Value of Music in Development of Character," by Ethel Gallup.
"Music washes away from the soul the dust of every day life."

APRIL 6
Vocational Training—By Lillian Clark, U. C.
Roll call. "Question Box."
"Do your work as well as you can and be kind."
Mrs. Sarment, hostess.

APRIL 20
Children's Day.
"Life's song, indeed, would lose its charm.
Were there no babies to begin it. A doleful place this world would be. Were there no little people in it."

MAY 18
Mothers' Day—Leola Hewitt Huffman, Mrs. Mace, hostesses.
Roll call. "Quotations."
"When we realize how little we know, we shall yearn and strive to know more. When we feel how imperfect is our character, and not till then, we shall make earnest efforts after our improvement."

MAY 18
Paper, "Practical Results of Child Study," Mary Blowers-Ayers.
Universal Peace Day—Mrs. Haase, hostess.
Roll call. "Peace Topics."
"The Hague Tribunal," Mrs. Bernstein.

"My country is the world, my countrymen are all mankind."
"Humane Education in Early Training," Mrs. Fuller.

JUNE 1
Election of officers for ensuing year.
Reports of officers.
Annual Meeting—Ella Johnson, hostess.

JUNE 18
Plans for Next Year—Rosa Fetzold, hostess.
"Let us dream of noble things, and then work for them, too."
Then we may not attain to them quite. Unless we shall plan grander tasks than we do.

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MOTOR CARS

ORIGINAL EMBROIDERY DESIGNS

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Directions for Transferring Pattern

Dissolve a piece of soap the size of a walnut in two-thirds of a glassful of hot water and add a tablespoonful of ammonia. Saturate the back of the design with this solution and then lay it carefully, face down, on the material to be stamped, which should be stretched over a board or some other smooth, hard surface. Spread a sheet of thick paper over the back of the design and fasten both paper and design carefully in place with thumb tacks. Now rub the bowl of a spoon firmly over the design, rubbing always away from you. Follow these directions carefully and you can make from two to four transfers of the patterns.

15-3-28-Bib. — This bib pattern is rather unusual in outline, but is simple in design so can easily be embroidered. It can be on white linen, jean or pique or on sheer material. If the thin material is used it is necessary to have a pad underneath. It is better to have this separate from the bib itself only basted at the neck so that the two parts can be laundered easily. The dainty leaf design is shown here as solid embroidery and should only be padded slightly. A fine thread should be used.

Price of pattern 10 cents.

HELP WANTED—Female

WOMEN to sell ladies garments, direct to wearer, at retail factory prices, no middle man. Best commission. People's Building, Mfg. Cos., 740 Arch street Philadelphia.

Easy to write moving letter plays. Highest prices. No correspondence. Write for sample. **W. J. Lusk**, from Photography Bureau, Box 335, St. C, Los Angeles.

WANTED—A capable woman to represent us in her home. Good regular pay and profitable work. **Business**—1000 Lakeside, 1000 Lakeside—Good Regular pay and profitable work. **Business**—1000 Lakeside, 1000 Lakeside—Good Regular pay and profitable work.

WANTED—Neat young woman as housekeeper. Address "Haussekeeper," Box 44, Highland.

WANTED—Young woman to prepare salads and sandwiches; 5 hours a day. Salary accepted. **H. T. Box 23 Republic**.

Girl to assist in general housework; sleep home. 425 Fortnight.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. **Susan** family, near Clovis, N. C.

WANTED: Girl to do general office work, necessary to fast, no previous experience. State salary expected. Address S. G. Republican, Box 42.

WANTED: Girl for general housework. 214 Van Ness.

WANTED: Capable girl for general housework. Call 549 Nielsen. Phone 101-14.

WANTED: Young lady to work at lunch counter. No experience. From 8 to 1 and 3 to 5. Good salary. Call 942 R. or other Tribune.

WANTED—Cook, dipper, state experience and wages expected. "Situation" Box 15, Republican.

HOUSEKEEPER and take care three boys, 2, 6, 7 years old; elderly lady preferred. State wages. John E. Harris, care of A. P. Co., Box 6, Coalburg.

WANTED—Expert chocolate dipper. Campbell's, 1123 J St.

WANTED—Situations

MICHAEL EMERY, BRYAN

Wishes employment for many men and a few women. Ranch hands, teamsters, laborers, etc. This bureau furnishes workers and employment absolutely without charge to anyone, being supported by the city funds. The Citizens Relief Committee urges employers to employ the bureau's Thomas (Hinton), secretary and manager.

READING room, photographer, desires
 permanent employment, salary
 \$24.00 per week. Phone 2411.
 DANISH girl wants place. General house-
 work. Address Julia Johnsen, Sel-
 ma, Cal.
 CAPABLE American woman wants posi-
 tion as housekeeper; elderly couple
 preferred; no good cook; best ad refer-
 ence given. Miss Myers, 2012 Belmont
 Ave. (Rear).
 BY MAN and wife on ranch; both ex-
 perimented; wife good cook. "B. Y."
 Box B, Republican.
 EXPERIENCED bartender wants steady

job in the city; married man; good references. "U. M. A.", Box 21, Republican.

YOUNG—Japanese school boy wishes work. Phone 1651, 1567 Kern.

WINDOW trimmer and dry goods man; young married man with eleven years' experience in dry goods and general notions; would like to make change some references furnished. Address H. S., Box 29, rare Republican.

WANTED—Position by an experienced and diplomatic collector; best references. "Collector," Box 36, Republican.

UY lady on ranch, or housekeeper. Mrs.
 E. A. Ingle, 3525 Iowa St.
 WIDOW with boy would like housework
 on ranch. Phone 1977-J.
 YOUNG German man wishes work, in
 town or country; handy in housework.
 1433 Mariposa St.
 MARIEHILM man wants position as car-
 taker or gardener on ranch; experi-
 enced, reliable and willing; can go with
 or without family. For further in-
 formation call at 1215 P St. Fresno.
 WANT to do laundry work, on Mondays
 and Thursdays. 1211 G St.

CHINESE school boy, good cook, wants work; reasonable wages. 805 E St.

YOUNG married man wants steady position on a ranch; experience. Call 228 Diana.

JAPANESE boy wants position; any kind of housework except cooking. 515 "5" St.

MAN and wife want work on ranch or wherever work can be had; man can handle machinery of any kind. Address: 231, C. A. 2, Box 41, Republican.

WANTED—Job on ranch by married man can milk. Address: Manager, Emporium, 1000 E. 8th Ave. 538.

TRUSTWORTHY, middle-aged American, wants position caring for elderly invalid; good housekeeper; good references. Address Mrs. Waddington, Clovis, Cal.

CHAUFFEUR, 25 years of age and good appearance and moral habits, wants position. Five years' experience and good mechanic. Address 1029 M St.

BY EXPERIENCED nurse—Confinement cases. 1361 Q St. Phone 1430 J.

WANTED—Situation, strong young man wants any kind of work on ranch. Experienced hand and machine milker.

Address: Hainton Walker, Graham, Cal.
LAUNDRY work. 25c per hour; best of references. Mrs. Martin. Phone 8524-R-2.

MAN and wife on ranch; wife cook, man understands gasoline engines or cars, or will take other place. 523 P St.

MAN and wife on ranch as cook and foreman or foreman. Fair Hotel, Room 14.

WANTED: Position by graduate nurse, skilled in obstetrics: care of aged people or sick children. Experienced in giving massage and hydrotherapy treatments, which cure malaria. Very re-

sonable. Short cases taken this month.
References. Address Mrs. Eva E. Earl,
14 D. St. No. 1, Box 81, St. Helena, Cal.

**A YOUNG Japanese boy wants evening
work or early morning work. \$25 F St.**

**ALL-AROUND carpenter wants work at
reasonable wages or contract; city or
country. I have much galvanized
screen wire on hand. Will build screen
porch or garage for \$30. C. H. Rinne,
654 H Street, Room 10. Fresno.**

**YOUNG girl wishes office work; small
wages expected. S. W. M., Box 5,
Republican**

WIDOW, alone, with own home, would

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

COLONIAL Dancing Academy, Eye St.,
between Tulare and Kern. Private
lessons every afternoon and evening.
Phone 1155 and 2188.

SPANISH lessons, private instruction,
Vocman Remie, opposite Dickey
playground, field house.

COLONIAL Dancing Academy, Eye St.,

Dr. J. H. BROWN, Dentist, Associated with Dr. B. W. Doyle, Anesthesia especially. 316 Griffith-McKenzie Bldg., Fresno, C. Difornia. Residence Phone 4-4287. W. Office Phone 628.

NOTARY PUBLIC - Deeds, mortgages, contracts prepared. C. K. Wakefield, 1152 J St. Phone 68.

GEO. E. H. SATCHEL, certified public accountant. 308 Howell Bldg. Main 522.

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
HAZARD, BERRY & MILLER, oldest
agency in Los Angeles. Hazard's Book
on Patents Free.
PATENT ATTORNEY — Francis C.
Huebner. Room 17, Temple Bar Bldg.

REAL ESTATE—City

2120 CASI, balance like rent, for a new 4-room house, arranged for two families. Close in. **JOHN DARRING, 1033 J St.**

BARGAIN IF SOLD BEFORE OCT. 20th—4-room bungalow, completely furnished, all ready to move into; about 1000 bushels of wheat, 1000 lbs. of apples, berries, fruit trees and flowers; 4 blocks west of Normal school. Third corner. On west side of Melvin Ave. See owner. Phone 2417-W.

AN ABSOLUTE BARGAIN—Modern bungalow on 60 foot east frontage, fourth part town, near car line; large living room, dining room with hard-wood floors and tile, kitchen, bathroom, two sleeping porches, garage, flower beds and lawn. Price \$2500. Terms \$2500 cash and balance monthly. **REINHOLD & MATHIAS, 1333 Shiloh St.**

WE CAN sell you a home on very easy terms. We have many to choose from. Phone 351 for auto only. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

ACREAGE BUNGALOW—6-room modern bungalow, near car line; large sleeping porch, upstairs; fireplace, built-in kitchen, bathroom, and living room. Price \$2500. Terms \$2500 cash and balance monthly. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

GLASSY HOME—5-room modern bungalow on large lot; near school and car line. This is in good neighborhood; fireplace, concrete porch, built-in kitchen, bathroom, and living room. Price \$2500. Terms \$2500 cash and balance monthly. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

MODERN HOME—5-room modern bungalow, large lot, 40x130, near car line and school. This place is a bargain at \$2500; terms easy. Will take lots of cash. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Semi-detached corner lot, 100x100. Good location. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

ACRE LOT, four room house, barn, water right; \$1250; good terms. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

Dandy cottage, all modern, five rooms, all conveniences, 1 1/2 lots, Elgin street. Only \$2250. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

Three rooms, two lots, walks, curb, water, electricity; only \$1100; \$100 down, \$20 month. (Elgin avenue). **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

\$100 Cash, \$25 monthly, almost new bungalow, five rooms, sleeping porch, all modern, fine lawn, walks, all city conveniences. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

\$20 Down, 1 1/2 Per Month—No interest, taxes for three years; lot 50x130 with city water, cement walks, curb, graded street. This is in Cedar Park, adjoining Eastwood. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

Acres in alfalfa, east of town, close to car line; this deep soil; water; small payments. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

\$25 Down, \$25 month, modern five room house on Thomas; all city conveniences. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

OWN corner, street car service. Something good; easy terms. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

5-room house, near school, in city lot or houses, see **G. H. DICKER, with G. H. WRIGHT, 1033 J St.**

60 Rowell Bldg. Phone 2555.

FOR SALE—Small cottage, \$1200; half cash; lot 50x130. Tenth and 10th Sts. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

AN EXCELLENT 5-room bungalow, sleeping porch, built-in effects, near good school, between two car lines. Phone 3517. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

FOR SALE—Modern six room bungalow, built for a home. High corner lot, 60x130. 3829 1/2 Monte Way, Hazelwood. Phone 5977. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

EASY TERMS BARGAINS—\$1500—New and modern bungalow, two lots, \$150 cash, balance like rent. \$1000—6-room furnished bungalow, north part of town, \$150 cash, balance like rent. See us for bargains we have them. **KIRK & STONE, 1943 Fresno Street, Phone 429.**

CITY lots, near Normal school, 12-30 cash, \$150 in month; \$250 cash, \$1 cash. Two lots, 12-30 cash, \$500; \$1 cash. Two lots, 12-30 cash, \$500; \$1 cash. Five corner lots on Wilson car line; very easy payment; or cash. Place is acre and acre lots, \$125 up to \$10 cash, \$10 a month; one block of car, facing Van Ness Boulevard. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

FOR BARGAINS—See **H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO., 4000 PLACER FOR \$2100** New, modern bungalow, 7 rooms, close in, small payment down, \$25 a month. See **H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO., 4000 PLACER FOR \$2100**

OPPORTUNITY OF A LIFE TIME—A dandy new furnished bungalow, 3 1/2 lots, six car lines, houses and a three block of the court house, 1/4 block to the car line, near schools, churches, etc. on two full lots, that can be bought for \$1500. Do you ever hear tell of the like? Notice the price again, \$1500. Now, we want to give all a chance at it. We have never had a better offer. (See our positively certain) at this figure. Need not be all cash. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

COLONER Fortmeyer and Dudley, 5-room modern bungalow, garage, lot \$2500, \$1500; agreeable terms. Phone 3515. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

A PROPOSITION THAT WILL APPEAL TO THE INVESTOR—Who looks ahead a short ways, buys now, holds a short time, then sells. We have a two-story brick house, with eight or nine rooms, located within three blocks of the court house, 1/4 block to the car line, near schools, churches, etc. on two full lots, that can be bought for \$1500. Do you ever hear tell of the like? Notice the price again, \$1500. Now, we want to give all a chance at it. We have never had a better offer. (See our positively certain) at this figure. Need not be all cash. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

FOR SALE—A 5-room bungalow, screened porch, close in, north end to a car line and more in balance like rent. We have other good ones. Come and see us. **O. W. DAVIS REALTY CO., 223 Cory Building.**

HUGHEST SNAP EVER OFFERED IN Fresno Real Estate. 4 1/2 Acres, 3 miles north of Fresno Normal school; 30 acres improved to vine and trees; buildings. All land on either side held from \$100 to \$500 per acre. Phone 2250. Address owner, Box 1101, Fresno. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

FOR SALE SAME AS RENT—Dandy new bungalow on Illinois street, between 21st and 22nd; 4 rooms and bath; sleeping porch; large lot; all modern conveniences; \$2400. Get my terms. Call at 3522 Tulare. Phone 1100-J. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

The most magnificent residence in north Fresno, only one block west of Normal school; just completed. Apply to Nicholson, builder and owner. Phone 1092-J. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

LEVY BROS.—Modern and up-to-date bungalow, half block to Olive car line, in splendid neighborhood. Price \$3000. Terms \$300 cash. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

New bungalow, two corner lots. A big bargain. **LEVY BROS., 1943 Fresno St., Phone 2104.**

NEW bungalow, 6 rooms, bath, sleeping porch, all modern conveniences. 3442 Iowa Ave. \$2150. W. H. Johnson, owner, 2767 Johnson Ave. or second corner, corner of 27th and 28th. **PHILIP R. HALL & CO., 1033 J St.**

\$1150—5-room house, north end, lots 21x140; three blocks to car line; \$50 cash and \$15 per month including interest. **G. A. GARRETT, 1915 Fresno St., Phone 2104.**

REAL ESTATE—City

FOR SALE—Modern bungalow, 4 rooms and sleeping porch, bath, and each lot 120x150. North end, close to car line, Thistle Ave. Price \$2150; \$500 cash, \$20 per month. See owner, 1153 J St. Phone 2417-W.

BUNGALOW, modern, 4 rooms, and sleeping porch, bath, and each lot 120x150. North end, close to car line, Thistle Ave. Price \$2150; \$500 cash, \$20 per month. See owner, 1153 J St. Phone 2417-W.

FOR SALE—Five large rooms and sleeping porch, screened porch, 60 foot corner lot, restricted district, near school and car line. 1100 Ventura Ave. corner First. Phone 2417-W.

THESE ARE SNAPS IN TAKEN ADVANTAGE OF AT ONCE—1 House and 1 1/2 lots, Kleinhurst, \$2500. 2 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 3 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 4 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 5 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 6 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 7 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 8 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 9 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 10 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 11 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 12 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 13 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 14 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 15 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 16 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 17 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 18 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 19 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 20 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 21 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 22 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 23 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 24 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 25 Lots in Bartlett Heights, \$1500. 26 Lots in Bartlett Heights, 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IRRIGATION PEOPLE MUCH IMPRESSED WITH VALLEY

Hooker Believes Results
May Be Expected for
Many Years

Letter of Kansas Man Is
Typical of Many
Being Received

Appreciation of the entertainment which was given the delegates to the International Irrigation Congress at the meetings in Fresno, Sept. 15 and 16 is being shown in letters from delegates which are coming to the Congress Headquarters, now located in Fresno. It is evident from these letters, according to Secretary Arthur Hooker, that a most favorable impression was made by the San Joaquin valley, and that results from the meetings here may be expected by Fresno and the surrounding communities for several years to come.

A typical letter is that received by L. A. Nares, chairman of the California Board of Control, from J. C. Hopper, president of the Citizens National Bank at Ness City, Kansas. Mr. Hopper writes:

"I wish to thank you and others associated with you for giving us such a splendid time at Fresno, and especially for the delightful and instructive trip gotten up by your people for the delegates of the International Irrigation Congress. The trip revealed wonderful possibilities, and taught the stranger, in some degree, the value of water, as well as the problem of irrigation."

"The dam sight" shown the delegates will equal, if not surpass the Roosevelt trip and will, in my judgment, irrigate all of the land in the valley. Two things, to me, are very necessary in your country for the benefit of the farmer; first, a more moderate price for the land, with better protection of irrigation bonds supporting the market so they may sell at par. Second, the protection and better facilities for the marketing of products produced. These

Florida Embezzler Forces Police to Place Him in Jail

Three times Joseph L. McCaechern begged the police to be arrested. The last time he was successful, and is now being held for the authorities of Tampa, Florida, where he is wanted for embezzling \$300 from a lumbering firm.

Friday night McCaechern walked into police headquarters and announced that he wanted to give himself up for deserting his family some three months ago in Tampa. Sergeant Funder gave him the price of a bed and told him to come back yesterday morning.

He repeated the story to Chief Goehring yesterday morning and secured enough money for a meal, while the police sent a telegram to Florida. While he was gone a message instructing the police to hold McCaechern for embezzlement arrived. A frantic search was at once instituted. Half an hour later, McCaechern scurried from 1 street, and was taken into custody.

"I knew I was wanted for something," he explained to the police. "And as I never had been placed under arrest for anything but fighting, I thought that I would just give myself up."

The prisoner explained that there had been no intent to embezzle any funds, but that he had received a bill of lumber for which he had not paid. The owner had consented to the deal, but did not know that McCaechern intended leaving the state.

Freight Train and Switch Engine Hit On Friant Branch

A freight train as switch engine collided on the Friant branch of the Southern Pacific yesterday afternoon, though the engineers both claim that their respective trains were standing still. A refrigerator car was thrown from the tracks.

The collision occurred at the Kern and Angus streets. Local freight train No. 321 was inbound. A switching engine was pushing a refrigerator car to the Pioneer packing house. A tree on the curve obscured the view. Both trains were traveling at a slow rate of speed, and both engineers claim that they had succeeded in coming to a stop when the collision occurred.

problems are as necessary to solve as the problem of raising the products. "I bespeak for your country a great future, and from my acquaintance with the people of that locality, you are equal to the task. Co-operation with energy supplied at the right points, bring the results."

PLUCKY TEACHER KILLS TWO BIG RATTLE SNAKES

A large rattle snake coiled himself up under the steps of the Stanley school on the West Side last Monday morning and defied all the pupils arriving on the grounds until their teacher, Miss Edith Rossetta came up. Without any undue ceremony Miss Rossetta seized a piece of plank and routed the "monster" from his hiding place and then beat his head into a pulp.

But this did not end Miss Rossetta's trouble with snakes. On Wednesday while picking a bouquet from a flower bed planted by the children, she had a narrow escape from another rather. Despite the fact that the snake had struck at her, the plucky teacher made sure her pupils were on safe ground and then killed the reptile without experiencing the least shock of horrors which women are generally supposed to have when snakes get near their toes.

RAN BLIND PIG; MUST PAY PENALTY

Chinaman Fined Five
Hundred Dollars for Violating
Local Option Law

Sing Lee, who was convicted in Judge Austin's department of the Superior Court, Wednesday, for a violation of the local option law in Kingsburg was sentenced yesterday to pay a fine of \$500 with an alternative sentence of six months in jail. A stay of execution was granted until October 19.

PETITION FOR DIVORCE

Charley E. Sutton has filed a petition for divorce in the Superior Court praying for separation from Lealie E. Sutton.

VEACH GIVEN DIVORCE

Judge Church yesterday granted the petition of W. M. Veach for divorce from Arnilda S. Veach, on the ground of desertion.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by anyone but myself.
ED WARREN.
—Advertisement.

Kutner's Pay You Dividends On Everything You Buy



The Season's Most Fashionable Dresses for \$18.95 During "Dressup" Week, Oct. 18th to Oct. 23rd.

"Dress Up" is the slogan all over America this month, and Fresnoans will be to the front as usual. For this auspicious occasion our New York office secured us about 200 beautiful dresses at a big price concession, and we are featuring them from October 18 to October 23 at \$18.95. Six of the many beautiful styles are pictured above, and you can see for yourself what incomparable values they are at \$18.95 each. There's an unrivaled selection of styles—styles that will last throughout the entire season and that are most becoming to the average figure. Every need has been anticipated from a snappy street costume to a dainty dancing frock. Here is a slight description of the dresses pictured above:

- Serge and taffeta combination; girlish, handsomely embroidered in colors; full skirt and trimmed with double rows of buttons.
- An all silk taffeta dress in a pretty, quaint style; full skirt and buttoned trim; braid at bottom of skirt.
- Misses' party frock of soft silk taffeta in various soft evening shades; puff sleeves and shoulder straps of dainty lace.
- Woman's dancing frock of embroidered taffeta and exquisite lace and chiffon; skirt draped over lace foundation.
- Dress of fine silk with sleeves of sheer silk crepe; lace front and collar pleated skirt.
- Dress of plain navy taffeta; handsomely tailored; full pleated effect; military effect bodice.

A Word to New Comers in Fresno

Fresno is growing fast, as people realize more and more its advantages as the city of homes and vast possibilities.

As Fresno grows, helpfulness of Kutner's, Fresno's greatest store, grows with it. Its complete stocks of goods that are new, reliable and authoritative in style, make shopping here always satisfactory.

Its courteous, alert service, and its agreeable atmosphere make shopping here pleasant.

Its invariable policy of fair prices makes shopping here economical. Test these advantages for yourself.

Gate Tops for New Bags 25c

—Something quite new for finishing silk and crochet bags.

Very Latest In Handkerchiefs

—The latest New York craze in Handkerchiefs are the finest of chiffon or crepe de chine squares with dainty colored edges. See them at Kutner's at 15c each. They tub perfectly.

Stylish Hats for "Dressup" Week \$1.95 to \$7.50

A hat right in color and line will make a woman's face look easily 5 years younger. The hats for this season are mostly becoming styles—rich autumn tones and black that bring out the pretty soft coloring of a woman's cheeks—soft, beautiful materials and striking trimmings, and the shapes, too, are handsome—tall, highcrowns and small turned-up affairs and very pretty turbans. See all these lovely styles in our showing of trimmed hats from \$1.95 up to \$7.50 each.

Scores of Beautiful New Waists for "Dressup" Week \$2.95, \$3.95 and \$5.95

"Dress Up" in one of the many beautiful waists to be found at Kutner's. There are George-ette crepes, marquisettes and chiffons and lots of pretty crepe de chine—flesh, cream and white. Convertible, low and ruffled collars. Some models beautifully trimmed with silk shadow lace and insertion. Practical waists—every one of them, and only \$2.95, \$3.95 to \$5.95.

Women's Fashionable New Coats \$14.95 and \$18.95

—If you are particular or hard to fit in a coat, you want to come to Kutner's, and you'll find the coat you want. Heavy novelty coatings—plaids—checks—corduroys, etc., in the smartest, most elegant coat styles ever designed—\$14.95 and \$18.95.

"Sorois" Shoes for Women for "Dressup" Week

—NEW FASHION FEATURES IN EVERY PAIR. A Gypsy shoe in bronze kid is a splendid shoe at \$1.95. Then there are cloth tops and plain kids—patents and smart laces. Priced from \$4.00 to \$5.00. "Sorois" Shoes for women are sold exclusively in Fresno at Kutner's.

Kutner's Famous Dollar Damask

—Few people realize the great scarcity of linen caused by the European war, and we have found it very difficult to secure a damask to sell at \$1.00 yard that measures up to our high standard. However, we have secured ten pieces—70 in. wide—pure heavy linen to sell at \$1.00 yard. It may be the last at the price. Napkins to match, \$3.00 dozen.

50c Mercerized Damask 39c 35c Bath Towels 25c

—64 inch mercerized damask, in an excellent table cloth quality.

—Big thick Turkish towels, only 60 dozen in the lot to sell at 25c each.

\$22.50 Ideal Fireless Cookers \$17.00 Special In Our Hardware Department This Week

—These Water Seal Aluminum Fireless CookStoves are "Ideal" in every way. They boil, roast, bake, steam and stew—never overcook. They are heat, water, steam and air tight. —Fireless cooking is the most hygienic, the most practical and the most economical method of cooking ever known. It saves more than half the kitchen work and more than three-fourths of the fuel bill. During this week you can get one of these \$22.50 Fireless Cookers at Kutner's for \$17.00. Here are some other fine specials for Monday:

Carpenters, Note These Prices

- 26 inch Disston No. 5 hand saws; \$2.50 values for \$1.90.
- No. 5 Jack Bailey planes; \$2.25 values, \$1.75.
- \$2.00 folding steel squares, \$1.00.
- \$1.00 hand saws, 60c.
- 50c claw hammers, all steel, 30c.
- \$1.00 alarm clocks, 63c.
- Carpenters' overalls, \$1.

Feather Boas 95c

—Extra long boas, made of genuine ostrich feathers—black, white and light colors.

50c Boot Silk Hose 35c

—Extra good boot silk hose for women—made of a pure silk thread and with a lisle water top. —\$1.50 Silk Hose, 95c. Extra heavy silk thread—and very elastic tops.

Clothes for Men and Boys for "Dressup" Week

"Dress Up" Week was really originated for men and young men, and everything needful for the occasion will be found in our Men's Clothing Store.

"Bobby Burns" Suits for Boys \$5.00, Extra Pair of Pants

—Seems as if we cannot get enough of these splendid 2-pants suits at \$5.00 in stock. Parents tell us they're the best suits they ever saw at the price. All wool materials, smart boyish styles, splendidly tailored of smartest new fabrics. \$5.00 the suit, with 2 pairs of pants.

Lovely Silk Ties At 55c

—Remarkable values in men's pure silk four-in-hand ties—patterns that are sure to satisfy the well dressed men. Combination colors in navy and gold and red and navy, green, royal and so forth. Ties that will harmonize with any suit. Special 55c each.

Men's Shirts \$1 and \$1.50 Overcoats For Men \$15

—The "no fade" kind; newest stripes in wide and narrow effects. A new shirt given you if the old one fades in the laundry.

—Big, warm, all wool affairs, made in several good styles; convertible collars; large pockets and some belted.

Men and Young Men's Suits for "Dressup" Week \$15 & \$20

—Our \$15.00 and \$20.00 Suits for men are of all wool, pre-shrunk materials and hand tailored—and every suit is guaranteed to give satisfaction or your money back. We have recently received large new shipments of these suits and a splendid range now awaits your choosing.

Think It Over!

We, as Optometrists, prescribe glasses for defective vision and eye strain—that's all, but a little piece of glass can work wonders when right—JUST right.

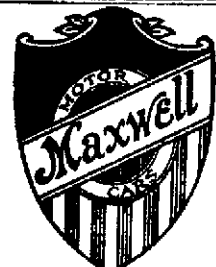
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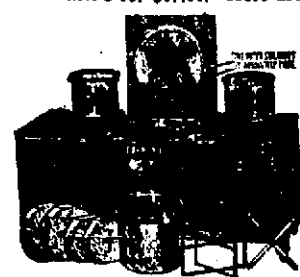
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